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Mr. Beatty was accompanied on his visit here by Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice president of the Western Lines; Sir Augustus and Lady Nanton, of Winnipeg; General Herbert Nanton and Miss Nanton, of London, England; and Mr. J. W. Hobbs, of Toronto. The party left last night for Vancouver.

LIGHT DOCKET AT VANCOUVER ASSIZES

Murder Charge and Bank Holiday Are Among Cases to Be Heard by Mr. Justice Macdonald

VANCOUVER, Sept. 25.—Mr. Justice W. A. Macdonald will convene the semi-annual assize court at the Vancouver Court House tomorrow morning.

The docket is unusually light. Of 17 cases originally listed, five have either elected for speedy trial or have announced their intention of doing so. Two new cases have added to the list, however, making the present total 14.

The indictments which will be handed to the grand jury tomorrow are against F. H. Ruffles, obtaining money under false pretences; Albert Jeaves, robbery; George Brown, breaking and entering; Leo H. Anderson, theft; John King, carnal knowledge; Fook Fong, selling drugs; and Pete Collins, false pretences.

The murder case against the North Vancouver Sikh and the theft charge arising out of the holdup of the Grandview branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, are being reserved for later in the assize.

Appointed Naval Attache

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Captain Francis Tottenham has been appointed naval attache to the British Embassy in Washington.

Sultan Protests

The Sultan's government has protested to the Allies because the joint Allied note was not addressed to the Sublime Porte. The announcement that the Allies would return Thrace to Turkey and permit the ultimate occupation of Constantinople by the Kemalists, coupled with the fact that the Allied note ignores the Sultan's government, renews the fear that the Sultan will be forced to abdicate.

Damad Ferid Pasha, the Sultan's brother-in-law, and several times grand vizier, left hurriedly for Switzerland today. Five pashas, ten former ministers and many opposition editors also left.

It is impossible to meet the demands of the Greeks and Armenians for Turkish fees, which have increased in price from three to five dollars. A local Austrian firm has telegraphed Vienna for 200,000.

The Greeks, who claim to have seven divisions in Thrace, have informed the Allies that they will not tolerate an invasion by the Kemalists; they declare the return of the Turkish forces have been strengthened and are in a position to drive out the Nationalists. Unless London and Paris come to an understanding with Athens, it is feared here that a Greek army in this territory may act. If successful, the further fear is entertained that this might bring war to the gates of Constantinople.

Armistice Terms

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 25.—The Allied high commissioners plan to meet today for the purpose of bringing together representatives of Greece and the Turkish Nationalists for the conference at Mudanya, at which the terms of an armistice are expected to be settled.

Reay Admiral Bristol, commander of the American naval detachment in Turkish waters, will attend as an observer for the United States. The conference will examine the present military and naval positions of the belligerents with a view to immediate cessation of hostilities.

SMUGGLE INTO UNITED STATES

"Fake" Marriages Favorite Method of Alien Women Gaining Entry Into Country From Cuba

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Smuggling of European aliens into the United States from Cuba, surreptitiously submerging temporarily in the waters of the Florida coast of large quantities of liquor by "international bootleggers" and "mock marriages" designed to bring into this country women barred by immigration laws, form the basis of a report submitted to the Secretary of State by the bureau of immigration.

The smuggling ramifications, it is declared, extended to the capitals of Europe and include Greece, Spain, Poland, Roumania, Russians and Chinese.

"Bridegrooms" Paid \$200

The report states that the favorite method of gaining entry to the United States from Cuba for certain alien women has been for them to enter into "fake" marriages with naturalized American citizens, who for certain considerations go through mock ceremonies and then accompany their "wives" to some Florida point. Frequently, it is said, obliging "bridegrooms" have been paid as high as \$200 for their part in the scheme.

The principal smugglers in Havana, the investigators declare, do not confine their activities to smuggling aliens into the United States, but also handle whisky and narcotics. The majority of the leaders are said to be naturalized Americans.

RED CROSS MAN IS VICTIM IN IRELAND

Killed Whilst Escorting Patients to Boat to Take Them to Dublin

DUBLIN, Sept. 25.—From County Kerry, which is almost completely isolated, news came yesterday of an ambush at Blennerville. A Red Cross man was shot dead while escorting patients to a boat which was to take them to Dublin. At Dundalk, yesterday, Private Owen Sherlock and a nationalist comrade, met two civilians whom they recognized as fellow inmates of the Ballykinnear camp in pre-war days. After a friendly chat, the civilians whipped out revolvers, killing Sherlock and wounding his companion severely. The civilians escaped.

TURKS' RETURN DISAPPOINTING

Although Solving Immediate Difficulties, May Spell More Trouble in Future, Says Dispatch From London

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Decision to Invoke Assistance of League of Nations Regarded as Valuable Contribution to Settlement

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Allied Near-East agreement, with a prospect of a peaceful settlement of the trouble opened thereby, undoubtedly has given satisfaction here, which is enhanced by the fact that it is likely to pacify Moslem sentiment in India and Egypt, thus helping to remove great difficulties with which the British administrators are faced. Great Britain's definite commitment to the retrocession of Thrace, however, has considerably tempered the satisfaction, many people regarding it as an act of retrogression and have uneasy apprehension of the restoration of Turkish sovereignty to Europe.

Small Countries Disappointed

Although solving the immediate difficulties, it may not promote tranquility in the Near East in the days to come, while the decision means bitter disappointment to the "little entente" countries. These latter are very apprehensive of the influence which the return of the Turks is likely to have on the unstable situation in the Balkans.

The view here, however, is that if France and Italy, for whatever reasons, are ready to accept the restoration of Turkish sovereignty in Europe, subject only to the freedom of the straits being preserved, Great Britain would assume a gigantic responsibility to withdraw a single soldier from across the straits in deference to Turkish threats, while the unity of the Allies, so essential for the peace of Europe, has been repaired by the mission of Lord Curzon, who has scored an undoubted success.

Premier Poincare, replying to congratulations, says a Paris dispatch, courteously declared: "Don't speak of success for France; it is success for the Allies, and I hope success for peace."

Humiliation for Greece The decision undoubtedly involves another deep humiliation for Greece. A feeling of approaching despair was evoked in Greek circles and, although it is generally thought in London that the decision is a success, this does not appear to be a foregone conclusion. Judging from reports from Athens, the Greeks are rushing troops to Thrace to reinforce their army.

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Three Men Burned—Man Knocked Down by Manhole Top Which Was Blown Off

VANCOUVER, Sept. 25.—Nelson Gurtley, an employee of the city sewerage department, was taken to the General Hospital this afternoon suffering from severe burns about his head and hands caused by an explosion of gasoline which was apparently flowing through a sewer in which he was working. Maurice Satt and J. W. Talbot were also slightly burned, but were able to go to their homes after they had received medical treatment. D. Falconer, an employee of the B.C. Telephone Co., was knocked down by the manhole top which was blown off and is suffering from shock.

According to a report received by the police, gasoline was flowing through the sewer where the men were working and when one of them struck a light it exploded.

NOT NOTIFIED YET OF VENICE PEACE PARLEY

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—Whether or not Canada will be represented at the peace conference between the Turks and Allies, which it is proposed to hold at Venice in the near future, will be decided when the Dominion is officially notified that the conference will take place. This was the statement of Premier King this evening in answer to a question in the House.

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WAR CRISIS REPLACED BY OLD SCHOOL DIPLOMACY

PROVIDES PLAYGROUND AT STANLEY PARK

Sum of \$20,000 Left by Vancouver Woman to Be Used by Park Commissioners.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 25.—The sale of Fairacres for \$40,000 to Frederick Muscombe today was ordered by Mr. Justice Morrison.

Out of the proceeds the Board of Park Commissioners will realize \$20,000, in accordance with the will of Mrs. Grace E. Ceperley.

The bequest was to provide a playground for children at second beach in Stanley Park.

NURSES' CONTINGENT FOR EAST IS OFFERED

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Reuter's Simla correspondent cables that the president of the Anglo-Indian (domiciled Europeans) Association of India, has offered the vicerey the services of his community for providing a contingent of nurses to be employed in the Near East in the case of an outbreak of war.

WILL CONSIDER FOREIGN DEBTS

Great Britain's Request Principal Question Before United States Commission During Sitings This Week

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Resumption of meetings of the foreign debt funding commission this week was indicated today at the treasury. It was said that immediate consideration would be given to the general situation prior to the beginning of interest payments by Great Britain.

The principal question to be determined is whether the Government shall acquiesce in the request of Great Britain that an approximation of \$50,000,000 be made for the interest on \$4,000,000,000 British war debt falling due in the next two months. On October 15, \$45,000,000 of interest from Great Britain falls due, and on November 15, \$15,000,000, but at the rate of five per cent, while the act creating the commission authorizes the funding of foreign debts with interest at 4 per cent.

Great Britain has suggested that an approximate amount of interest be paid in October and such adjustments as may be necessary made in the future. Details of the affair are meagre, and it may not be serious, as, according to The Times (London) correspondent, small parties of Turkish cavalry were still in the zone yesterday, but he anticipated no difficulties as the Turks were showing a genuine desire to be reasonable.

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Unwise to Sacrifice Coffee for Greek or Turk—Signal for Men Premature, Is Claim

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, M.P., labor leader, speaking at Brighton yesterday, said that a week ago the people were startled by the announcement that the Government was to relax its military and naval preparations. He said he had no hesitation in asserting that in the long history of British statesmanship that never had an appeal been made with less justification.

Mr. Thomas said the labor delegation that waited on Premier Lloyd George here, made it perfectly clear that labor in Great Britain was neither pro-Turk nor pro-Greek, and that labor did not think it wise to sacrifice a copper or a British life for either. He added that Lloyd George's statement last Saturday on the nature of the appeal to the Dominions was identical with the statement which he had made to the labor delegation.

Mr. Thomas expressed regret that a full report of the interview had not been published immediately, as this would have laid suspicion and removed the silly, absurd suspicion that the labor members were gagged and bound to secrecy on the questions which had arisen.

He declared that the Premier had signalled the end of the earth, appealing for men to come from the Dominions to fight, before a real pacifier measure had first been tried.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—J. R. Clynes, M.P., well-known labor leader, in a speech at Bridgeport dealing with the Near East question, said that the labor delegation that recently interviewed Premier Lloyd George was disabled by an arrangement that he could not make known from making his views known to the country. Silence was imposed on the delegation, which enabled sections of the press to say that labor was so much in agreement with the Government that nothing was to be said to embarrass it. He had not shared that view, he said, for the fate of the country and the lives of its people were greater consequences than the convenience of the Government.

Labor, said Mr. Clynes, must not be taken as sharing the responsibility for what was done or proposed by the Government, which was responsible for a policy that had brought the country to the brink of war.

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Early Resignation of Constantinople Cabinet and Termination of Dual Government Forecast—Turkish War Office Prefers to Take Over Administration of Thrace

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Smiles, which wreathed Lord Curzon's face as he departed from the Prime Minister's official residence in Downing Street today, after making a detailed report to the Cabinet of his Paris mission, typified the general easing up of the tenseness of the Near East situation as viewed from the British capital.

Everywhere in official circles there were expressions of relief that the war crisis of last week had been replaced by old school diplomacy, with such an old hand as Curzon directing British policy, and although there is no word that the Allies' note has yet been delivered to Kemal Pasha, it is intimated that his refusal to come to terms is extremely unlikely.

The view is held in authoritative Allied circles that immediate acceptance would be against Turkish "tradition propensities." It is said that the Turk in bargaining diplomatically or otherwise, always wants a first offer made to him. Then he holds the other to it, and angles for further concessions. The Allies have made Kemal Pasha a definite offer of Constantinople, Thrace to the Marits River, and membership in the League of Nations, but it is believed that Kemal probably will reply with a demand for all of eastern Thrace and complete retirement of the British from the neutral zone, if the Turks enter into a peace conference.

It is taken for granted, however, both in Paris and London, that no reply will be forthcoming from the Nationalist leader until he sees M. Franklin Bouillon, the French envoy, who is expected to reach Smyrna on Thursday.

All Danger Not Past That all danger is not past is evident from today's dispatches reporting a new Kemalist incursion in the Chanak zone, necessitating a further warning from the British commander there. Details of the affair are meagre, and it may not be serious, as, according to The Times (London) correspondent, small parties of Turkish cavalry were still in the zone yesterday, but he anticipated no difficulties as the Turks were showing a genuine desire to be reasonable.

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In British Columbia there was some doubt expressed by Premier Oliver as to how the association could place settlers on the Government's own settlement areas." Sir John said, in reviewing the party's trip. But even at this point he promised to give full consideration, while in other respects the British Columbia Ministers were warmly sympathetic.

There was a clear desire shown everywhere, he said, to assist the association in carrying out the programme to which it is committed.

WARNS LEAGUE OF COMING MASSACRE

GENEVA, Sept. 25.—The Earl of Balfour told the Assembly of the League of Nations today that a massacre of the Greek and Armenian refugees in Smyrna is impending. He said Great Britain was ready to give \$50,000 to a relief fund, and he appealed to the other countries to contribute.

Lord Balfour especially asked the Persians, representing the only Muslim nation here, to do what they could toward relieving the situation, and Prince Dowlat, of Persia, offered to give all the help he could in promoting the relief work and to serve as a mediator if necessary.

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"The company has not in contemplation any extensions to the Peace River district. No extensions in Northern British Columbia are under consideration," said Mr. Beatty. Asked if the C. P. R. was planning to operate aircraft in the near future, he replied: "The commercial possibilities of aircraft services have not been sufficiently tested to warrant the establishment of an air service in Canada at the present time."

The only new announcement in connection with the coastal water service of the company which the president had to make was to the effect that it had been definitely decided to inaugurate a new motor ferry service, and that particulars would be announced later by Vice-President Coleman when the term had been decided upon.

Mr. Beatty was accompanied on his visit here by Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president of the Western line, Sir Augustus and Lady Nanton, of Winnipeg; General Herbert Nanton and Miss Mills, of London, England, and Mr. J. W. Hobbs, of Toronto. The party left last night for Vancouver.

The docket is unusually light. Of 17 cases originally listed, five have either elected for speedy trial or have announced their intention of doing so. Two new cases have added to the list, however, making the present total 14.

The indictments which will be handed to the grand jury tomorrow are against F. H. Ruffley, obtaining money under false pretences; Albert Jeaves, robbery; George Brown, breaking and entering; Leo H. Anderson, theft; John King, carnal knowledge; Pook Fong, selling drugs; and Peter Collins, false pretences.

The murder case against the North Vancouver Sikh and the theft charges arising out of the holdup of the Grandview branch of the Canadian Bank of Commerce, are being reserved for later in the session.

Appointed Naval Attache
LONDON, Sept. 25.—Captain Francis Tottenham has been appointed naval attache to the British Embassy in Washington.

TURKS RETURN DISAPPOINTING

Although Solving Immediate Difficulties, May Spell More Trouble in Future, Says Dispatch From London

NOT CALLED UPON TO WITHDRAW MEN

Decision to Invoke Assistance of League of Nations Regarded as Valuable Contribution to Settlement

LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Allied Near-East agreement, with a prospect of a peaceful settlement of the trouble opened thereby, undoubtedly has given satisfaction here, which is enhanced by the fact that it is likely to pacify Moslem sentiment in India and Egypt, thus helping to remove great difficulties with which the British administrators are faced. Great Britain's definite commitment to the retrocession of Thrace, however, has considerably tempered the satisfaction, many people regarding it as an act of retrogression and have uneasy apprehension of the restoration of Turkish sovereignty to Europe.

Small Countries Disappointed
Although solving the immediate difficulties, it may not promote tranquility in the Near East in the days to come, while the decision means bitter disappointment to the "little entente" countries. These latter are disappointed because they expected the return of the Turks to be likely to have on the unstable situation in the Balkans.

The view here, however, is that if France and Italy, for whose reasons are ready to accept the restoration of Turkish sovereignty in Europe, subject only to the freedom of the straits being preserved, Great Britain would assume a significant responsibility and run unwarrantable risks if she alone doggedly stood out. It is pointed out that Great Britain is not called upon under the agreement to withdraw a single soldier from across the straits in deference to Turkish threats, while the unity of the Allies, so essential for the peace mission of Lord Curzon, who has scored an undoubted success.

Premier Poincaré, replying to congratulations, says a Paris dispatch, "I don't speak of a success for France; it is success for the Allies, and I hope success for peace."

The decision undoubtedly involves another deep humiliation for Greece. A feeling of despair was evoked in Greek circles and, although it is generally thought in London that the decision is a blow to the Greeks, it does not appear to be a foregone conclusion. Judging from reports from Athens, the Greeks are rushing troops to the sea to reinforce their already there.

The decision to invoke the assistance of the League of Nations in safeguarding the straits is regarded here as a valuable contribution to the statesmanship and to the settlement.

One of the most disquieting factors of the situation is Russia's insistence to be represented at the peace conference. It seems most unlikely that the Kemalists will demand Russia's assistance, especially in view of the assembling of Russian forces which might be used to back up the Moscow-Angora treaty if Mustafa Kemal Pasha showed himself inclined to forget his earlier pledges.

It is authoritatively stated here that not only Great Britain, but the Empire as a whole, will be represented at the peace conference.

GASOLINE FLOWING IN SEWER EXPLODES

Three Men Burned—Man Knocked Down by Manhole Top Which Was Blown Off

VANCOUVER, Sept. 25.—Nelson Gartley, an employee of the city sewerage department, was taken to the General Hospital this afternoon suffering from severe burns about his head and hands caused by an explosion of gasoline which was apparently flowing through a sewer in which he was working. Maurice Batti and J. W. Taihot were also slightly burned, but were able to go to their homes after they had received medical treatment. D. Falconer, an employee of the B.C. Telephone Co., was knocked down by the manhole top which was blown off and is suffering from shock.

According to a report received by the police, gasoline was flowing through the sewer where the men were working and when one of them struck a light it exploded.

NOT NOTIFIED YET OF VENICE PEACE PARLEY

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—Whether or not Canada will be represented at the peace conference between the Turks and Allies, which it is proposed to hold at Venice in the near future, will be decided when the Dominion is officially notified that the conference will take place. This was the statement of Premier King this evening when asked in regard to Canada's representation.

WAR CRISIS REPLACED BY OLD SCHOOL DIPLOMACY

PROVIDES PLAYGROUND AT STANLEY PARK

Sum of \$20,000 Left by Vancouver Woman to Be Used by Park Commissioners.

VANCOUVER, Sept. 25.—The sale of Fairacre for \$40,000 to Frederick Huacomb today was ordered by Mr. Justice Morrison. Out of the proceeds the Board of Park Commissioners will realize \$20,000, in accordance with the will of Mrs. Grace E. Ceperley. The bequest was to provide a playground for children at second beach in Stanley Park.

NURSES' CONTINGENT FOR EAST IS OFFERED

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Reuter's Simla correspondent cables that the president of the Anglo-Indian (domestic European) Association of India, has offered the services of his community for providing a contingent of nurses to be employed in the Near East in the case of an outbreak of war.

WILL CONSIDER FOREIGN DEBTS

Great Britain's Request Principal Question Before United States Commission During Sitings This Week

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Resumption of meetings of the foreign debt funding commission this week was indicated today at the treasury, where it was said that immediate consideration would be given to the general situation prior to the beginning of interest payments by Great Britain.

The principal question to be determined is whether this Government shall acquiesce in the request of Great Britain that an approximation of \$50,000,000 be made for the interest on \$5,000,000,000 British war debt falling due in the next two months. On October 15, \$65,000,000 of interest from Great Britain falls due, and on November 15, \$35,000,000, but at the rate of five per cent, while the act creating the commission authorizes the funding of foreign debts with interest at 4 1/2 per cent.

Great Britain has suggested that an approximate amount of interest be paid in October and such adjustments may be necessary made in the funding arrangements to be worked out by the commission and the British financial mission which is expected to reach this country late in October.

APPEAL UNJUSTIFIED, SAYS LABOR LEADER

Unwise to Sacrifice Offer for Greek or Turk—Signal for Men Pre-empture, Is Claim

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Right Hon. J. H. Thomas, M.P., Labor leader, speaking at Brighton yesterday, said that a week ago the people were startled by the announcement that war was so imminent it was necessary to appeal to the British Dominions to help. He said he had no hesitation in asserting that in the long history of British statesmanship that never had an appeal been made with less justification.

Mr. Thomas said the labor deputations that waited on Premier Lloyd George had made it perfectly clear that labor in Great Britain was neither pro-Turk nor pro-Greek, and that labor did not think it wise to sacrifice a copper or a British life for a Greek or a Turkish cause.

Mr. Thomas said that Saturday morning he had made it perfectly clear that labor in Great Britain was neither pro-Turk nor pro-Greek, and that labor did not think it wise to sacrifice a copper or a British life for a Greek or a Turkish cause.

He declared that the Premier had signalled the ends of the earth, appealing for men to come from the Dominions to fight, before a real pacifist measure had first been tried.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—J. R. Clynes, M.P., well-known Labor leader, in a speech at Bridgeport dealing with the Near East question, said that the labor delegation that recently interviewed Premier Lloyd George was disabled by an arrangement that he could not make known from making his views known to the country. Silence was imposed on the deputations, which enabled sections of the press to say that labor was so much in agreement with the Government that nothing was to be said to embarrass it. He had not shared that view, he said, for the fate of the country and the lives of its people were of greater consequence than the convenience of the Government.

Labor, said Mr. Clynes, must not be taken as sharing the responsibility for what was done or proposed by the Government, which was responsible for a policy that had brought the country to the brink of war.

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Gen. Carlo Canova, one of the oldest Italian generals and a hero of the Tripoli campaign, died in Rome today, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch.

Kemal Pasha's Refusal to Come to Terms Is Regarded as Extremely Unlikely—Immediate Acceptance Considered Contrary to Turkish Traditions

Excursions to Chanak Zone Call for Warning

Early Resignation of Constantinople Cabinet and Termination of Dual Government Forecast—Turkish War Office Prefers to Take Over Administration of Thrace

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Smiles, which wreathed Lord Curzon's face as he departed from the Prime Minister's official residence in Downing Street today, after making a detailed report to the Cabinet of his Paris mission, typified the general easing up of the tenseness of the Near East situation as viewed from the British capital.

Everywhere in official circles there were expressions of relief that the war crisis of last week had been replaced by old school diplomacy, with such an old hand as Curzon directing British policy, and although there is no word that the Allies' note has yet been delivered to Kemal Pasha, it is intimated that his refusal to come to terms is extremely unlikely.

The view is held in authoritative Allied circles that immediate acceptance would be against Turkish "tradition." It is said that the Turk in bargaining diplomatically or otherwise, always wants a first offer made to him. Then he holds the other to it, and angles for further concessions. The Allies have made Kemal Pasha a definite offer of Constantinople, Thrace to the Maritza River, and membership in the League of Nations, but it is believed that Kemal probably will reply with a demand for all of eastern Thrace and complete retirement of the British from the neutral zone, if the Turks enter into a peace conference.

It is taken for granted, however, both in Paris and London, that no reply will be forthcoming from the Nationalist leader until he sees Mr. Franklin Bouillon, the French envoy, who is expected to reach Smyrna on Thursday.

All Danger Not Past
That all danger is not past is evident from today's dispatches reporting a new Kemalist incursion in the Chanak zone, necessitating a further warning from the British commander there. Details of the affair are meagre, and it may not be serious, as, according to The Times' Constantinople correspondent, small detachments of Turkish cavalry were still in the zone yesterday, but he anticipated no difficulties as the Turks were showing a genuine desire to be reasonable.

Even when Kemal's reply is received there are likely to be prolonged negotiations, for it is believed Kemal will demand the admission of Russian and Bulgarian troops to the conference, which in itself would provide ample opportunity for protracted discussions. In the meantime the British Government is not relaxing its military and naval preparations. More battalions of Guards are making ready at Aldershot for early embarkation.

May Use Venetian
The Athens Government apparently has decided in principle to use the diplomatic services of former Premier Venizelos in an effort to retain eastern Thrace, says a Reuter dispatch from the Greek capital.

The dispatch adds that it is generally believed Venizelos will not refuse to serve the country if the collaboration of the present Government is rendered possible.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 25.—Turkish cavalry armed with machine guns, returned within the neutral zone at Chanak today. General Harrington, British High Commissioner, instructed the Nationalist representatives. (Continued on Page 17)

COLONIZATION PLAN IS WELL SUPPORTED

Clear Desire Shown Everywhere to Assist Association, Says Sir John Willison After Tour of West

WINNIPEG, Sept. 25.—Ready assurances of such co-operation as the association desired, was given in every case by the Western Provincial Governments to the Western Canadian Colonization Association party, whilst in the West, it was stated here today by Sir John Willison, on the return of the party. In all cases, it was explained that the association was not asking for financial support, but only for co-operation in so far as the plans marking out the settlement areas, the land, the selection of areas for settlement, and the care of settlers after their arrival in Canada.

"In British Columbia, there was some doubt expressed by Premier Oliver as to how the association could place settlers on the Government's own settlement areas," Sir John said, in reviewing the party's trip. "But even to this point he promised to give full consideration, while in other parts of the province, the association was warmly sympathized."

There was a clear desire shown everywhere, he said, to assist the association in carrying out the programme to which it is committed.

MAYOR'S PLANS ARE DEFEATED

Proposals for Local Government Board and Fixed Aggregate Assessment Not Favored by Council Majority

Mayor Merchant stood alone in support of his local government board plan when the City Council voted on the question last night.

His one other suggested addition to the legislation for which the city should strive was the one that "the city should assess on land of municipalities having a population of 20,000 or more on the basis of \$1,000 per head of population in each of such municipalities." This, too, failed to secure the support of the majority, the Mayor and Aldermen Woodward, Harvey and Dewar voting for it, with Aldermen Todd, Hayward, Leeming, Perry and Andros against.

The legislative amendments which the Council last week decided to work for were gone. It was decided which should go before the convention of the Union of B.C. Municipalities and which the city should endeavor to have put into the private act.

The proposal for legislation regarding the payment of taxes by the month was amended last night to read as follows:

"That legislation be asked for enabling the Council to provide by-law or resolution for periodic payment of taxes and that such periods be not less than one month."

"That this legislation should provide for penalties upon unpaid taxes of one per cent per month from due date thereof upon so much of the said taxes as remain unpaid until the date of payment thereof, said penalties to be imposed monthly until December 31, and thereafter at the rate of 8 per cent per annum."

Long on Legislation
The question of legislative proposals was the first item on the long agenda, and the Council went into committee of the whole to deal with it, with Alderman Patrick in the chair. The committee did not report until 10:35, and the Council then continued for another hour, the session terminating automatically at 11:30 with a discussion under way.

The Finance Committee's report stated that the committee could not agree as to whether or not St. Joseph's Hospital should get any of the city's liquor profit money, and so the matter was referred to the Council for settlement. Owing to the shortness of time last night the question was laid over for a week. The Finance Committee split 2-3 on it, Alderman Leeming stating.

The recommendation of the Finance Committee (Continued on Page 17)

WARNS LEAGUE OF COMING MASSACRE

GENEVA, Sept. 25.—The Earl of Balfour told the Assembly of the League of Nations today that a massacre of the Greek and Armenian refugees in Smyrna is impending. He said Great Britain was ready to give \$50,000 to a relief fund, and he appealed to the other countries to contribute.

Lord Balfour especially asked the Persians, representing the only Muslim nation here, to do what they could toward relieving the situation, and Prince Dowlat, of Persia, offered to give all the help he could in promoting the relief work and to serve as a mediator if necessary.

According to the British report, the massacre has been set for September 30.

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DOUBLE MURDERER IS STILL AT LARGE

No Satisfactory Clue to Crime Which Revealed Two Hidden Bodies.

NEW BRUNSWICK, N.J., Sept. 25.—The authorities of two counties have admitted that every clue concerning the double murder of the Rev. Edward Hall, rector of the Church of St. John the Evangelist, and Mrs. Eleanor Mills, the wife of the church sexton, whose bodies were

found under an apple tree a week ago Saturday, has led them into nothing more than a labyrinth of theories, ending nowhere.

TWO ARE KILLED IN COLORADO SHOOTING

TRINIDAD, Colo., Sept. 25.—Two are dead as the result of a shooting near Aguilar Sunday. Charles Pratt, a blacksmith, was killed by a man so far unidentified, who then was killed by a posse of state rangers. The cause of the shooting is not known.

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TWO YEARS IN DUNGEON ON CHARGE OF MURDER

Only Jew in City of Ten Thousand People Was Afterwards Acquitted of Killing Boy.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Mendel Bellas, Jewish workman of Kiev, Russia, whose trial in 1919 on the charge of ritual murder attracted world-wide attention, is a resident of New York. It was learned yesterday. He came to America in 1921 from Palestine, where he went after his acquittal in Russia, and is established in a small printing business. Bellas, the only Jew in a city of 10,000 people, was arrested in 1911, after the discovery of the body of a thirteen-year-old boy, who had been murdered. Officials charged that he had killed the boy to obtain blood for religious ritual purposes. He was kept in a dungeon for two years and then, after thirty days the jury freed him.

CANADIAN RAILWAYS SHOW IMPROVEMENT

Operating Deficit Less Than in 1921 C.N.R. Spent \$1.17 for Every Dollar Earned

OTTAWA, Sept. 25.—(Canadian Press)—Operations of the Canadian National Railways for the first six months of the present year, as compared with the corresponding period of last year, show considerable improvement. There is still a deficit on operation, but it has been cut almost in half in comparison with the operating deficit for the period of January to the end of June, 1921. In the six months of last year the Canadian National Railways spent \$1.24 for every dollar earned in revenue; this year they have expended \$1.17. The operating deficit does not include the fixed charges, nor do the above figures include the Grand Trunk, which has an operating surplus for the six months of 1922 of \$4,200,000, a considerable improvement over an operating surplus of \$1,226,729, the figures for the corresponding period of last year. This year the Grand Trunk has spent 87 cents for every dollar earned; last year it spent 98 cents.

INDIAN TARIFF FAVORS ENGLAND

Recommends Preferences Be Given to Assist British Industries — Reciprocity for Rest of Empire

LONDON, Sept. 25.—(Canadian Press Cable)—The fiscal commission which was appointed last year by the Government of India "to examine with reference to all interests concerned, the tariff policy of the Government of India, including the question of the desirability of adopting the principle of imperial preference," has issued its report. The commission recommends the adoption of a policy of protection to be applied with discrimination, and the appointment of a permanent tariff board, consisting of three members of high, outstanding ability, as the instrument by means of which the policy would be applied with the discrimination desired.

The industries essential for the purposes of national defence, and for the development of which the conditions in India are not unfavorable, should, if necessary, be adequately protected, according to the commission's report, and raw material and industrial machinery, ordinarily admitted free of duty, and partly manufactured goods used in India, should be taxed as lightly as possible. Any general system of preference to British products, the commission states, would involve a serious burden which it would not be reasonable for India to shoulder, while, on the other hand, the possibilities of advantage to India from preferences granted to her exports are limited.

India may be in a position in certain cases, to grant preferences which would assist British industries and would not cause appreciable loss to her, the commission says, and recommends that any preference granted to the United Kingdom should be granted as a free gift. In the case of other parts of the Empire, however, it recommends that the principle of reciprocity be followed.

PROBLEM TO KEEP SETTLERS ON LAND

New York Times States the Hardest Problem of Canada's Immigration Policy Still Remains

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—(Canadian Press)—The Times comments favorably upon the recently announced immigration policy of the Canadian Government, which expresses the view that carrying it out will involve more difficulty. It is devised, the paper declares, to meet the same problem as has long vexed the United States: the tendency of the incoming settler to drift to the cities and swell the number of what prosperity calls "unemployed."

After reviewing some of the details of the Canadian plan The Times continues: "With both governmental and private agencies co-operating for the first time toward the same end, the plan appears to have a good chance of success, but, after all, the selection of the right type and even the 'chaperoning' of that type to the destination best suited to its needs, is only half the battle. The harder problem still remains to cause Premier King and his ministers to work overtime—and that is the problem of keeping the settler on the 20,000,000 available, but lonely, acres once they have got him there."

Boy Crushed to Death. VANCOUVER, Sept. 25.—Crushed between two box cars in the yards of the Vancouver Lumber Company, Ernest Dewhurst, aged 15, died at the General Hospital yesterday.

DRASTIC STRIKE ORDER IS PUT INTO EFFECT

CHICAGO, Sept. 25.—The drastic temporary injunction order asked by Attorney-General Harry M. Daugherty against shopcrafts strike leaders was put in force yesterday by Judge James H. Wilson, without any of its effectiveness being modified. Several slight changes in the wording of the order submitted Saturday were made by Judge Wilson to clarify its meaning.

LENINE SOON TO TAKE CHARGE AGAIN

Has Been Taking Keen Interest in World's Affairs While Recuperating at Country Residence

MOSCOW, Sept. 25.—Premier Lenin is soon to return to active duty, it is announced by the newspaper Pravda, which devotes a special illustrated supplement to the cabinet chief.

While still recuperating at his country place, Lenin, according to acting Premier Kamenev, has interested himself in international questions and home affairs. He is particularly interested in the activities of United States Senator Borah as bearing on Russia, and the work of the American administration. Lenin will appear as the principal speaker at the Fourth Congress of the Third Internationale in Petrograd in November, giving his views on "the world revolution."

Considers Powers Greedy. M. Stalin, a member of the council of commissars, in an article in The Pravda, quotes the Premier as saying he considers the great powers greedy and inimical to the revolution. He is interested and on this account thinks it likely they "may at any time fly at each other's throats." Meanwhile, he says, Russia "can afford to await the outcome of the conflict," because she has selected "the sure and smoother path of peace and mutual agreement, steering straight and yielding neither to threats nor flattery."

SOUTH AFRICA'S REPLY

No Longer Any Need for Union's Intervention in Near East Problem, Premier Smuts Believes

PRETORIA, South Africa, Sept. 25.—The Union Government's reply to the British appeal for support in the Near East was published yesterday, and said that the position had materially improved, so that there was no longer any need for the Union's active intervention. Premier Smuts explained that the delay in replying was caused by the fact that he was in an inaccessible part of the country.

Disastrous Forest Fire. PORT TOWNSEND, Wash., Sept. 25.—The forest fire which Sunday swept two camps of the Discovery Bay Logging Company, 20 miles south of here, leaving a number of persons homeless and causing property damage estimated at nearly \$100,000, was reported burning itself out in old clearings today.

DEAD FROM BURNS

PETERBORO, Sept. 25.—Children playing with matches caused the death Saturday of Elsie Hopkins, four years old, when a small barn located within the city limits caught fire.

PLOT TO UPSET SOVIET FORCES

Secret Agreement Under Which Arms Left by the Japanese Will Be Used, Is Alleged

TOKIO, Sept. 25.—Japanese military authorities are credited with the statement that General Dietrichs, the anti-soviet leader in Khabarovsk, and General Chang Tso Lin, the war lord of Manchuria, have been negotiating secretly an agreement under which the arms left by the Japanese in evacuating Siberia will be divided between the Siberian general and the Chinese general, who plan to join in opposing the soviet forces, and those of the Far Eastern republic at Chita. Part of the military equipment abandoned by the first contingents of Japanese to leave Siberia is reported already to have been turned over to Chang Tso Lin. The Japanese Government is investigating.

The newspaper Kokumin Shimbun charges that part of the arms and munitions which Japan promised to give the Chita Government on the conclusion of an agreement has been disposed to Dietrichs and Chang through the "machination of a Japanese military clique."

"As Red Cross Supplies. The paper adds that when the first period of the Japanese evacuation occurred, some arms were left behind, and that these were appropriated by Dietrichs, while more were sold to General Chang and shipped as Chinese and Japanese representatives "Red Cross supplies." Russian customs officers discovered part of these shipments, says the account.

An official of the Japanese Foreign Office said, "Unfortunately, the report was correct." He explained the Government was investigating.

The Foreign Office, however, had no knowledge today of the alleged negotiations between Vladivostok and Mukden. Neither could it confirm its report that America had protested against the "facilities disposal" of Japanese arms in Siberia.

Presbyterians Split ON CHURCH UNION

Statement Churches Refusing to Enter New United Church Will Lose Status Causes Consternation

TORONTO, Sept. 25.—Prospects of a legal fight in the Presbyterian Church before a church union can be brought about, was predicted on Saturday by Principal Fraser, of Montreal, who was in the city in connection with the draft legislation which came before a joint committee on union.

Principal Fraser is one of the strong opponents to church union, and he pointed out that there are difficulties in the way. The provision, he declared, must be made to take care of those who do not want union. The separation, he felt, is inevitable.

Professor A. T. Lang, who is one of the anti-church unionists, added that when the matter comes before Parliament, there will be strenuous opposition.

The statement of Rev. Dr. Pidgeon, convener of the general assembly's union committee, to the effect that when the Presbyterian Church enters the new United Church all congregations which refuse to enter will thereby lose their status as Presbyterian churches, and that the minority cannot survive bearing the name of the Presbyterian Church in Canada, is said to have caused widespread consternation among the anti-unionists.

Rev. Dr. J. H. Fraser, principal of the Presbyterian College of Montreal, and president of the "Presbyterian Church Association," the name by which those opposed to union are known, stated that if the legal counsel of the union committee is right, the churches that stay out of the union cannot be known as the Canadian Presbyterian Church.

EMPLOYMENT BETTER IN MOST INDUSTRIES

Thirty-Three of Forty-Two Branches Show Larger Payroll—Nine Decreases Registered.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 25.—Employment conditions improved materially in thirty out of forty-two important industries of the country during the month of August, as compared with July, the Department of Labor announced yesterday. The largest increase in employment appeared in the "stamped ware and fertilizer industries, and printing newspapers," the report said. Thirty-three of the 42 industries canvassed by government investigators indicated increases in the total amount of their payrolls for the month, while nine industries registered decreases.

ATTEMPT ON LIFE OF IRISH POLICE CHIEF

Attackers Driven Off of Ambushed Automobile After Heavy Revolver Fire.

DUBLIN, Sept. 25.—An attempt was made last night to kill General Owen O'Duffy, chief commander of the Irish civil police, it was announced today by the Free State Government.

General O'Duffy, General Hogan and two other officers were proceeding along Naas Road, when their automobile was ambushed. A heavy revolver fire followed, in which the attackers were driven off and one of them wounded.

Mansion Looted. LONDON, Sept. 25.—The Marquis of Lansdowne informs The Times that his mansion Berken, County Kerry, Ireland, has been looted and burned and the valuable plantations on his estate destroyed. He says he is unaware whether the outrage was committed by Free State or republicans.



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INSISTS JAPANESE TROOPS EVACUATE

Moscow Government of Representative Says No Trade Agreement Will Be Made Until This Is Done.

CHANG CHU, Manchuria, Sept. 24.—The Moscow and Chita Governments continue to insist that Japan shall fix the date of evacuation of troops from Northern Manchuria before any trade agreements can be made, according to an official answer which was presented to Mr. Matsudaira, replying to Japan's refusal to remove the troops until indemnified for the massacre of 800 Japanese nationals. Mr. Matsudaira has referred the question to Tokyo. Adolph Joffe, representative of the

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Moscow Government declared that if Tokyo decided negatively, the conference would end.

TO INCREASE CAPITAL. TORONTO, Sept. 25.—The Shavlin-Clarke Company have taken out supplementary letters patent to increase their capital stock from two to four million dollars.



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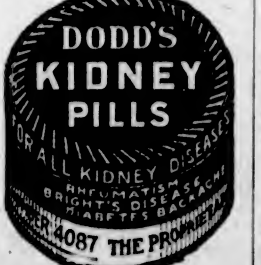
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C.P.R. WANTS GOOD MAN AS C.N.R. HEAD**PRESIDENT BEATTY SAYS ROADS HAVE COMMON PROBLEMS**

He and Vice-President Coleman Are Guests at Luncheon of Chamber of Commerce Directors

While the Canadian National Railway system operates in close competition with the C. P. R., both lines have encountered great problems in common, and the directors of the C. P. R. are, therefore, anxious that the Government roads have at their head the best man in America, an executive of broad vision who will not be hampered in his work by political influences. Mr. E. W. Beatty, K.C., president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, told the directors of the Victoria Chamber of Commerce at the luncheon in the Empress Hotel yesterday at which he and Mr. D. C. Coleman, vice-president of Western lines, were guests.

The railways owned by the people of Canada, said Mr. Beatty, must be operated as efficiently as possible in order that the deficit might be reduced as far as possible and eventually driven out of existence.

A steady improvement of conditions throughout Canada was noticeable, said the C. P. R. head. Canada had not gone into the slump until four months after the United States, and was at least that length of time behind the republic in getting out again. The huge crop on the Prairies this year meant money, and money meant industrial development. "I see nothing that should cause any Canadian the slightest apprehension," said Mr. Beatty. Conditions would improve year by year, he prophesied. There would be small retrograde movements from time to time, it was to be expected, but the general movement would be upward. There would not be added, he said, any boom times, nor were there to be desired.

Appreciation of the opportunity of

meeting informally with the Chamber

of Commerce directors was voiced by

Mr. Beatty, and also by Mr. Coleman, who followed him.

Pays Out Large Sum

Mr. Coleman pointed out that in

1921 C. P. R. purchases in Victoria,

exclusive of lumber, amounted to

\$683,216.41, and in 1922 it was ex-

pected that a substantial increase in

this amount would be shown. Dur-

ing August the payoff of the crews of

the B. C. Coast Steamship "Vic-

torias" fleet amounted to \$43,000.

These statistics, he averred, showed

the great interest which the C. P. R.

has in Victoria.

Mr. H. E. Heasley, superintendent

of the E. & N. Railway, in a brief

address at the luncheon, stated that

the island mills were again operating,

and his line was doing well. The

care of all business offering, and al-

ways ready to co-operate with Victo-

rians. It had been said up the

island, he said, that the Victoria busi-

ness were not energetic enough in

going after Vancouver Island busi-

ness.

Capt. J. W. Troup, asked to speak,

said that he had no statement to

make but had come to answer any

questions which the directors might

care to ask him.

"There has been a subtle sugges-

tion that the transportation com-

mittee might make a reply make a

reply that would call Mr. Heasley or

Capt. Troup to their feet," said Mr. C. P.

W. Schwenners. "I am going to

take advantage of Mr. Beatty's pres-

ence and, to use a railroad expres-

sion, sidetrack our report and in-

stead say a few words in reference

to the Canadian Pacific Railway."

"We are all proud of this Domini-

on of ours. We are proud of the

manner in which we withstood the

shock of war. We are proud of the

manner in which we withstood the

shock of the subsequent business

depression, and we are proud of the

way in which we are today taking

her place amongst the nations of the

world as one of the large commercial

exporting countries.

Plays Wonderful Part

"In reflecting upon this, we can-

not fail to realize the wonderful

part that the Canadian Pacific Rail-

way has played in the development

of the entire development of the

country since Confederation has al-

ways been actively participated in by

the Canadian Pacific Railway, and

Canada's achievements have been

made possible by this great railway

system."

"We recall that in the past, when

the great Prairies were a useless,

barren waste, it was the Canadian

Pacific Railway that developed them

and did more than any other concern

in making them one of the chief

granaries of the Empire."

"When we wanted settlers, it was

the Canadian Pacific Railway, through

their immigration department, that

brought them in and placed them

on the land and helped to make

them successful citizens."

"Turning to our own Province at

the time when the Kootenay mining

district had been the backbone of

British Columbia at one time, was on

the wane, it was the Canadian Pacific

Railway that stepped into the breach

and with their money have made the

Trail Smelter the chief industry of

its kind in Canada."

"It was the Canadian Pacific Rail-

way that took hold of the Roseland

Mines when they were on the verge

of collapse and has rehabilitated

them until today they have greater

ore reserves and larger possibilities

than at any time in their history."

Influence Here

"Turning to our own island, lo-

cated as we are, it was the Canadian

Pacific Railway that gave Victoria

the same terminal income and out-

going freight that enabled us to

continue as a thriving centre. When

the possibilities of this island and

Victoria as a tourist resort were

first realized, it was again the C.P.R.

that stepped into the breach, built

the Empress Hotel and advertised us

all over the continent as Canada's

playground, and brought the tourists

here. It is a great thing to be able

to say that after forty years the

Canadian Pacific Railway stock still

maintains its position as the world's

premier security and during all that

time has never failed in its pay-

ments of dividends and has annually

continued to distribute its profit to

its shareholders throughout the

world."

"We are justly proud of our great

Canadian corporation. Nothing but

the greatest of wisdom in its manage-

ment could have brought about such

results and it is our hope and wish

that under the wise guidance of Mr.

Beatty it will continue to prosper

in greater measure than it has ever

done in the past."

"We want you to feel that we are ever mindful of what the Canadian Pacific Railway has done for Canada and for this city, and to feel that you have no stronger friends or more ardent supporters than this Chamber of Commerce and the merchants of Victoria."

"We have our own local transportation difficulties and problems, but your local officials are conversant with the situation and sympathetic with our needs, and we would like to assure the C. P. R. executive in Montreal that they may safely leave our requirements in their hands to deal with."

Mr. Stephen Jones spoke in reference to the abolition of special ex-citation rates west of the Prairies last winter, pointing out that the re-establishment of the special rates which had been in existence previous to that time would be appreciated by British Columbia.

INTEREST ON LOAN IS FRENCH DEFICIT**Government Must Hush About Ten Billion Francs for Special Budget for Reconstruction**

PARIS, Sept. 25.—The French budget for 1923 totalling 22,227,928,174 francs, was approved Saturday by the finance committee of the Chamber of Deputies. The figure is 270,000,000 francs less than the Government asked. It showed a deficit of nearly 1,111,000,000 francs, an amount which corresponds roughly to the interest on the foreign loan for reconstruction, which is to be charged to Germany.

Further Increase

The deficit may be further increased should Parliament decide to maintain the high cost of living allowances, which total 600,000,000 francs. Besides the budget deficit, the Government must raise by loan or its equivalent, about ten billion francs, for a special budget, which is to be recovered from Germany, and comprises reconstruction expenditures.

IRISH PARLIAMENT ADOPTS ARTICLE I**"A Co-equal Member of Community of Nations Forming British Commonwealth of Nations"**

DUBLIN, Sept. 25.—The Parliament in committee today adopted Article I of the new Irish constitution. Kevin O'Higgins, Minister of Home Affairs, in moving the adoption of the article, said the Anglo-Irish Treaty had been signed under duress, inasmuch as the alternative was war, but that the people had exercised their choice and accepted the treaty as the best thing obtainable.

There are in all 18 articles in the Irish constitution now pending in the Parliament, many of them of considerable length. Article I contains but a single sentence, reading:

"The Irish Free State (Saorstát Éireann) is a co-equal member of the community of nations forming the British Commonwealth of Nations."

THINKS NEW TARIFF NEARLY PROHIBITIVE**United States Farmer Will Soon Realize Mistake, Says United Farmers' Secretary**

TORONTO, Sept. 25.—The new tariff regulations will be almost prohibitive to Canadian produce marketers, in the opinion of J. J. Morrison, secretary of the United Farmers of Ontario, who admits at the same time that Canada can gain nothing by retaliating.

"The fact that the United States farmer would shortly realize the mistake. The hardest blow would be at livestock, with general produce coming next."

DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

MOSCOW, Sept. 25.—Finland, Estonia, Poland and Latvia having accepted the Russian proposal for a disarmament agreement, announcement is made that the conference will be held in Moscow in October.

FOR SLUGGISH, CONGESTED LIVER AND BILIOUSNESS**TRAINED NURSE ADVISES USE OF ALKALINE SALTS, AND TELLS WHY ORDINARY SALINES FAIL**

By ALICE LANDELS, Certified Nurse

Contrary to common belief such drastic purgatives as Ipecac, Rochelle, or other morning salts and powders as generally used have practically no effect upon the liver. They produce a strong aperient action by passing straight through to the lower bowel almost immediately, and flushing out the important intestinal juices, thus stirring up future trouble, as anyone knows who has tried them.

When the saline water is not absorbed or assimilated by the stomach or intestines at all, it of course cannot reach the liver, and this accounts for so many of my patients saying ordinary salts proved worthless for their liver disorders. I do not advise the "pill habit" as a last resort, for, if a few small pills are powerful enough to effect the contents of the intestines, they must be strong enough to produce an exceedingly harmful reaction.

My invariable advice to chronic constipation sufferers is to drink two or three times during the day (not before breakfast) a tumbler of water in which has been dissolved a teaspoonful of Aikla Salts. Any chemist can supply a few ounces of this at small cost, or easily get it for you, and it will clear out a clogged liver or regulate the bile flow more quickly than anything I know of, this being on account of the extreme rapidity with which it is absorbed. This water is pleasant to drink, has no salty taste, and you cannot drink too much of it. I have never noticed any but excellent after-effects, and results have always proved permanent.

(Adv.)

MEMBERS OF CABINET OFF TO CONVENTION**Coming Gathering of Liberals at Nelson Chief Centre of Interest to Party Members**

Headed for the convention of Liberals of the Province, which will be held at Nelson on Thursday and Friday next, every member of the Provincial cabinet, with the exception of Hon. William Sloan, Minister of Mines, is en route to the Interior.

Premier Oliver left on Saturday night, and Hon. J. D. MacLean, Provincial Secretary; Hon. W. H. Sutherland, Minister of Public Works, and Attorney-General Manson left yesterday afternoon. Hon. E. D. Barrow, Minister of Agriculture, and Hon. John Hart, Minister of Finance, are the last to leave the city.

The delegates selected to represent the local Liberal Association will leave this afternoon. Forty delegates were selected, but it is expected that not more than twenty or twenty-five will make the trip, while those unable to go will send proxies by those going.

The coming convention is creating great interest in Liberal circles throughout the Province, for at it a large number of questions of vital interest to the party will be discussed, chief among them the Pacific Great Eastern Railway matter.

Despite some reports which have appeared the question of leadership will not be one before the gathering. Not that some sections of the Liberals are not more or less critical of Premier Oliver, but because they realize that at this moment Premier Oliver is the only man upon whom the party as a whole can unite.

The Premier step out there is no one who could take his place, in they way prominent party heads argue.

The Pacific Great Eastern Railway situation and the subject raised by resolutions discussed by some local organizations, that of a piebait on the question of the sale by the glass of beer and light wines, will undoubtedly come before the convention, though on both of these matters members of the Government have been urging that the Legislature should decide that they should be discussed on the floor of the House wholly independent of politics.

In fact, on the beer question, the anxiety of some local organizations, Victoria among them, to bring the subject forward has been taloned by the party leaders, who are not anxious at this time to see the party so on record as to give the other.

It would be better, they hold, to follow the policy hitherto adopted by the Government, and throw the question onto the floor of the Legislature, and thereby make that body responsible for any decision arrived at, rather than cast the responsibility upon the Liberal party.

Prior to the convention there will be a caucus session of the Liberal members of the Legislature, where contentious points that might otherwise create friction at the convention will be discussed and any difficulties arising therefrom ironed out. The order has gone forth that the coming convention must demonstrate that the Liberals of the Province are a united body, and that everything is lovely within the party ranks.

The fact that there must be re-organization of the Provincial executive of the party has created interest to the Nelson proceedings. The differences which have been patent within the Vancouver Liberal ranks, between the M. A. Macdonald and the Farria factions, will be accentuated again when the selection of the president of the Provincial Association comes to be made. Mr. Macdonald is retiring, though he will be a candidate again for the honor. There will be no lack of aspirants for the office. It is predicted, among them being Mr. Gies, V. D. Colquhoun, Mr. J. A. Huchman, Liberal member for Columbia; Mr. Alexander Paterson, Liberal member for Delta, and Mr. J. A. Corbin, former president of the Vancouver City organization, and a strong opponent to Mr. M. A. Macdonald.

Rumor has it that Mr. H. C. Hall, K.C., former Liberal member for Victoria, may be in the running for the office of treasurer, and to replace the secretary, Mr. J. A. Campbell, who is resigning in favor of Brenton R. Brown, of Vancouver, is mentioned.

ENLISTMENT ORDER DRAWS CRITICISM**Canadian Continent Volunteers Want Offers for Overseas Service to Be Direct**

Announcement that in the event of a Canadian contingent being formed in the defence of the Dardanelles and Constantinople recruiting will be done through the active Militia units, and that officers and men who wish to join the contingent must first become members of the unit has not been favorably received by many officers. The opinion is expressed that some officers and men who are ready to again wear a Canadian uniform would be excluded if this policy is carried into effect, and a meeting of officers, it is stated, will be held during the week to talk over the situation and possibly make representations to the Dominion Government to make other provisions for those willing to serve but not prepared to enlist in the ordinary way with a Militia unit.

At a meeting of the executive of the Victoria local of the Great War Veterans' Association the following resolution on the possibility of a Canadian contingent being organized was passed:

"Whilst hoping that war can be averted by Allied conference, we, the members of the Victoria branch of the Great War Veterans' Association desire to express our feelings that, should hostilities take place, that the members of the above local pledge themselves to do all in their power to help raise the number of men required from this district."

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THE NEAR EAST

Whatever ultimate solution there may be of the Near Eastern problem cannot fail to sow the seed of future war. The present proposals of the Allied Powers, if accepted by the Turkish Nationalists, mean that Turkey will have regained a great deal of what she lost in the Great War. She will be the only defeated nation which will have ultimately emerged from that struggle without adequate punishment, for the guarantee, whatever they may be, that she must give affecting the freedom of the Dardanelles will only apply so long as Turkey is at peace with the co-signatories to whatever instrument is signed to end the present impasse.

Probably the latest deadlock could have had no development other than war without the restoration of full Turkish authority and prestige in Constantinople and the admission of her claims to Eastern Thrace. Great Britain has sacrificed much for the sake of peace. She has done so because she is the greatest Mohammedan Power in the world and realizes that religious concessions must be made to the subjects of Islam. That there is wisdom in the British policy, those who know the Mohammedan world cannot deny, but the effect of this wisdom cannot be other than to fan the smoldering embers of Balkan discontent and to set the stage for new martial developments. The diplomacy of France has triumphed and it runs with Britain's interests, provided always that the freedom of the Dardanelles can be assured and a similar freedom guaranteed to the Sea of Marmora and the Bosphorus.

Turkey has won more than the victory of restored territory through her route of the Greek army in Asia Minor. She has had her claims admitted to inclusion in the League of Nations. The present development is a renewed affirmation that the immediate destinies of nations are decided by force of arms, and this will afford but small comfort to the apostles of disarmament. In the settlement now being discussed, with good prospects of the acquiescence of all parties, the crux of the situation for the moment lies in the protection of minorities in the war zone and in Eastern Thrace. The guarantees that can be secured from a victorious army in this respect will determine the strength of leadership in that army and have a potent tendency on the direction of future events.

CIVIC CRITICISM

Mr. A. J. Morley, who was mayor of this city during the years when the bulk of the present civic indebtedness was incurred, has written his opinions and criticisms of Dr. Shortt's report. The attitude he takes and the language he employs make it apparent he does not rely on the findings of an economic expert who had no purpose to serve save to give an unbiased opinion on the consequences of certain financial actions and to suggest the remedies that should now be taken to repair the difficulties that have ensued. Mr. Morley is too sensitive about criticism which he seems to have taken for granted directly reflects on his own administration while mayor of this city. Dr. Shortt, on his part, probably never intended to reflect on any individual and was dealing solely with a system which was fundamentally wrong, namely, the levying of taxation that could not be collected. We will do Mr. Morley the credit of saying that he has attempted constructive criticism, but it is of a character which hardly touches at all the seat of the present trouble, namely, the problem of converting tax arrears into assets. Indeed, the points upon which Mr. Morley lays emphasis did not come within the scope of Dr. Shortt's inquiry, which was specifically an investigation of the financial condition of Victoria.

In the course of his criticism Mr. Morley says that a city "has no more legal right to protect the delinquent taxpayer beyond the provisions of the law by adding the extra cost to those who pay their taxes, than has a merchant to add the amount of the unpaid account of one person to the account of another who pays." This dictum is likely to create an entirely false impression. The city has done nothing that it has not had power to do under existing legislation, or where it has done anything all efforts at relief for delinquents have been subsequently ratified by the Legislature. Its acts either were legitimate or have been legitimized. Might we point out to Mr. Morley that the bulk of the general tax arrears represents money for which it is true, the municipality levied, but which it did not spend inasmuch as it could not be collected. Might we point out, too, that the interest on arrears and the penalties levied on taxes not paid when due represent monies which are in the nature

of a bonus to the municipality. The amount of indebtedness from which any section of delinquents has been relieved, and through such relief the amount of new taxation which is thereby imposed on those property owners who are able to pay their taxes regularly does not affect the situation. The cause of heaviest taxation is the policy which forces land out of private ownership by imposing taxes on it greater than it can bear. Another cause is the Local Improvement plan, which should be abolished, and instead, the cost of all improvements should be borne by the taxpayers as a whole.

Mr. Morley has some incisive remarks to make about "speculation in land" and the "victims" which this practice left in its wake. He cannot have forgotten that his own City Councils were powerful contributory causes in encouraging speculation by the practice of inflated assessments of the lands. Everyone admits that both governments and the people made rash mistakes, but if there had been efficient government in the past the people would have been protected. The only inference to be drawn from Mr. Morley's opinions on delinquent taxes is that those involved should suffer the full penalty and lose their entire investments. We would ask him how far he would consider it a good advertisement for this city if hundreds upon hundreds of homes were to be transferred from private to municipal ownership. This would mean that the policy of thrift implied by home ownership would be officially discounted. It would mean heavier taxation in all directions and would act as a compelling deterrent to prosperity. He speaks of the necessity of "confidence, constructive thought and optimistic action towards steady, prosperous development of our city and the business and home interests of our people," yet he implies in the same article that a policy of drastic confiscation of homes should be followed. We believe there is honesty of purpose in the dicta of the former mayor, but there is no breadth of vision in what he says. Cavilling over the inevitable conclusions of economic reasoning will not contribute towards a solution of Victoria's financial situation.

A PRACTICAL OPTIMIST

The periodical visits here of Mr. E. W. Beatty, the president of the Canadian Pacific Railway Company, are always welcome, for it is recognized that the organization of which he is the head is one of the main instruments in the development of Vancouver Island. Mr. Beatty, in his high office, has proved himself a worthy successor of Lord Shaughnessy. He is amply endowed with both the ability and the vision which are essential in the control and direction of such a transportation company and he is able to visualize the progress of that corporation in terms of the prosperity of this Dominion. There is no agency which can be more potent in encouraging prosperity and growth, and from its beginning the C.P.R. has lived up to its high mission. With Mr. Beatty as its presiding genius it has fully sustained the traditions of the past. He has become a national figure embodying the most active and best managed agency in the life of the country.

Mr. Beatty is a practical optimist as all who heard his address to the members of the Chamber of Commerce will understand. He is able to speak with greater authority on business conditions throughout the country than any other individual in Canada. He takes a sound, wholesome and encouraging view of prospects, and what he has said here should have the effect of infusing new hope in this community. The statements regarding prospects for the future, coming from one in his position to judge, are in the nature of a tonic. We could do with many more of such tonics, for they would serve to restore vitality to the body politic and thus insure a speedier return of that prosperity to which everyone is eagerly looking forward. The best guarantee of progress lies in hard work. Mr. Beatty and his company in this respect have set an example which every Canadian should emulate, each in his and her different sphere.

BABY STRUCK BY PASSING TRAIN

Fourteen Months Old Child of Izzan Bay Couple Is Thrown Fifteen Feet Into Bush

On Saturday afternoon the fourteen months old baby of Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Izzan, who reside at Izzan Bay, wandered away from home and got on the tracks of the H.C. Electric Interurban. The father, who saw the youngster on the tracks, rushed after it, but a freight train came along and before the father could save his child, the car had struck the baby and sent it 15 feet into the bush. Mr. Izzan, in attempting to rescue his child, was struck on the shoulder.

The baby has been unconscious ever since the accident, although it was reported to be somewhat better last night.

GERMANY PAYS BELGIUM ALLOTMENTS

BRIS, Sept. 25.—The German delegation yesterday delivered to the reparations commission here totals approximately 90,000,000 gold marks in payment of the August and September 15 allotments due to Belgium. The payments due aggregate 100,000,000 gold marks, but there are credits for merchandise, previously delivered, which will serve to supplement the present transfer.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted as copy over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exceptions.

British-Israel

Sir,—On Sunday evening last at the Cathedral, I listened to one of the Dean's "Philosophical Essays" on the subject of "Fetialism." On the substance of the effort in general I have no remarks to offer—as every one is entitled to their own opinion—but the Dean made a pointed and positive reference to British-Israelism, stating that it was of the nature of fetialism.

I wish here to give a most emphatic denial that such is the case. On the contrary, it is founded on the unconditional covenant and promise of the Great Jehovah. St. Paul tells us it is impossible for God to lie.—Heb. v. 16, 17. British-Israelism honors God by taking Him at His word. The expression occurring in the Bible so often, "Thus saith the Lord," is quite enough for them. And whether the Dean believes in the literal interpretation of the prophecies or not, God has said He will lay his vengeance on Edom. Ezek. xxv, 14. (Generally acknowledged to be present-day Turkey) by the hand of this people, Israel, of both houses, Jacob and Joseph (see Obadiah, etc.) and they shall be utterly destroyed.

If the Dean will wait patiently a little while he will see the fulfilment of this prophecy. Perhaps it will open his eyes. Apropos of the old saying, "there are none so blind as those who won't see," I have the assurance that he was asked to take the chair at one of Professor Oldham's lectures last week, but he declined. I may add that many people of quite sound intellect were convinced at those meetings and rejoiced at the magnificent and joyful vista of unalloyed bliss opened up to them, and the assurance that He who kepteth Israel neither slumbers nor sleeps and has guaranteed the permanence of our Empire till He comes to take the Kingdom whose right it is, notwithstanding that the Dean knew the Bible as well as some of our downfall.

I will say this also, that if the Dean knew the Bible as well as some of the works of so-called modern scholarship of which he is enamored he would know this as well as I. Many of the ideas expressed in some of those said works originated in Germany. As to his statement that no first-class theologian took any stock in British-Israelism, I wish to state that more than one of our bishops is a firm believer. Others are studying it and an increasingly large number of our clergy believe in it. Many are teaching it in their churches and a large number of nonconformist ministers.

His reference to Oxford was rather unconvincing, as it is well known to be a hot-bed of infidelity, as also Cambridge in a rather less degree.

In conclusion, British-Israelism accept the whole Bible as the inspired word of God, and their teachings have been a means, under God, of the conversion of thousands of infidels. This is surely a good work, and why has the Dean gone out of his way to attack British-Israelism (which, by the way, is no Jew). Is he (like the Ephesians of old) afraid that this truth will eventually triumph over his man-made theology and theories? It certainly will. As truth is fated to prevail over error.

T. PARSONS.
1415 Camosun Street, Victoria, B.C., September 25, 1922.

Gorge Road Jitters

Sir,—As a driver owning and operating a jitney on the Gorge Road, I have read with interest the propaganda letters written by Lt. Col. Ridgway Wilson in favor of a monopoly being granted to the "Transportation Company Limited" to run buses on the Gorge Road route.

Might I point out that this service was started, I believe, in 1916, when the men were very little chance of opposition from jitneys owned by private drivers?

Take my own case, for instance. I am a pre-war resident of Victoria, renting a house just on the borders of Spanish from a Spanish resident. I served in the Imperial Army throughout the war, returned to Victoria, and have been ever since trying to earn an honest living running a jitney on the Gorge Road route. I am unable to follow my pre-war occupation, but my disability in no way interferes with my operating an automobile efficiently and safely.

As I have already stated to those interested, I am quite willing to come to a working arrangement with the Gorge Road Transportation Co. as to running on a schedule, etc.

The reason I write this letter is to contradict the statement of Lt. Col. Ridgway Wilson that the company running the buses on the Gorge Road employs ex-service men as drivers on that route. I do not think that that statement is a true one.

LOCAL COLLEGE BEGINS TODAY

Opening Sessions This Morning at Craigdarroch—Increase in the Number of Students Expected

The 1922-1923 term of Victoria College, Craigdarroch, will mark the beginning of the Christmas season, the students, upon their arrival at the college at 9 o'clock this morning, will be met by the principal, Professor Edward B. Paul, M.A., Mr. R. J. Willis, Superintendent of Education for British Columbia, will also be present and will likely say a few words before the scholars proceed to their classes.

From present indications, it appears certain that there will be more students this year attending the Victoria College than there were last term. To date there is an increase of 12 1/2 per cent in the number of first year students over last year's number. Last term there were eighty first year scholars, while so far ninety have registered this Summer. Moreover, the number of second year students has not been so great as was expected, although twenty have expressed their intention of starting in with their second year studies today.

Professor Paul, in speaking to the students last night, expressed the view that on the whole there would be a steady increase this year in point of attendance over former years, in referring to the number taking the second year course, Professor Paul spoke of the rumor which had gained some footing to the effect that the Normal School was to be increased from one year to two years. "I understand a number of students who otherwise would have taken their second year at the college have gone to Normal School this term on that account," Professor Paul said.

The faculty of the college this year will be the same as last year, includes Professors E. H. Russell and P. H. Elliott, and Miss Jeanette Cann and Madame Sanderson-Mongin. Instruction will also be given by Mr. Ira Lilworth and Mr. T. W. Cornett, of the Victoria High School staff.

FAVORITE SINGER GIVES FAREWELL

Mme. Winifred Lugin-Fahey Heard in Delightful Programme at Empress Hotel Last Evening

Mme. Winifred Lugin-Fahey, who gave such a great pleasure to her audience at the Empress Hotel last evening, undoubtedly possesses one of the naturally most beautiful voices which Canada has produced up to the present, and Victoria should take an even greater pride in her appearance here than she has. She leaves in a few days time for the East, and mingled with regret and delight her listeners experienced last night was regret that the occasion was her farewell appearance here, for the present at least.

The Building Fund of the local Y.M.C.A. is to benefit from the recital, which was given under the auspices of the Women's Canadian Club, an organization which has been successful in many similar occasions in the past.

The programme was characteristically interesting. In her five groups she gave a recital of songs, a number of vocal compositions, numbers which might well be considered a test of any voice, but which seemed to leave no visible effect of weariness or fatigue. On the contrary, as the evening advanced her voice seemed to become even more resonant and bell-like, and in her very last group of songs she gave a most refreshing and enjoyable set of songs.

In dramatic power Mme. Fahey's instrument is well-nigh limitless, and it is consequently much to her credit that she holds it in leash as much as she does in the singing of the lighter ballads.

Artistic Contrasts
Notable instances of contrast of the kind occurred in her programme last evening. For example, the two great arias, "Ritorno Vincitor," from Verdi's "Aida," and "Sulcidio" from Ponchielli's "La Gioconda," interpreting the whole gamut of intense emotional feeling, were followed in the closely succeeding group by such unaffected and artless arias as "The Merry Dancer" and "Mary of Argyrie." While in her second group the singer passed at once from the tragic and beautiful narrative of "Enfant Prodiges" (Debussy) to the tender and rhythmic "Chanson de Triste," one of the acknowledged favorites of the first part of the recital. After it came the gay spirit of "Mandolin" and the tender ballad of "The Yew." The two operatic numbers already mentioned offered the singer her great dramatic opportunities of the evening, exacting much in range as well as in intensity. Pathos, melancholy, resentment, defiance and appeal were all infused into the singing of the "Ritorno."

The last group of all, opening with Scott's "Joyous" and liquid-sounding "Blackbird's Song," contained two charming things which were warmly received. "Sing, Hark! No" and "Spring" both by Mr. J. Douglas Mackay, a local composer. Intrinsically beautiful these compositions were also delightfully sung, an overjoyed joy running through the melody of the first, and the poise and tenderness of the second being nothing by interpretation. This latter was repeated in response to continued applause.

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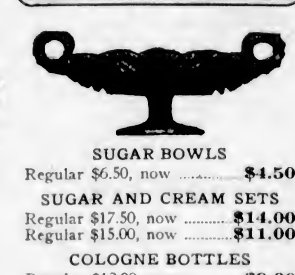
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BIG RALLY HELD IN CENTENNIAL CHURCH

Local Young People's Societies of Methodist listened to interesting Address Last Night

Last night all the Young People's Societies of Victoria and Metochin met in the Centennial Methodist Church for a very service under the auspices of the Centennial Epworth League. Each church league was located in different parts of the body of the church. Metropolitan occupying the centre, others being on the sides. Mr. Norman Redman occupied the chair, and was supported on the platform by Dean Quinton, Rev. J. L. Batty and Mr. Roy Hebban. The service opened with the singing of the Doxology, followed by prayer by Rev. J. L. Batty. The hymn, "When Wilt Thou Save the People," was sung.

A short address was given by Mr. Roy Hebban on the subject, "Making World Brotherhood Real." This was followed by an address by Rev. Dean Quinton on the subject, "Building a Christian Nation." The Dean's address was a timely message to young Canadians. His first warning against an undue national pride. He told the story of the Englishman who thought heaven a British possession. God has no pets, the speaker said. British people in God's sight are no better than Hottentots. There is a higher law than a nation's law and that law is God's law.

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Creed of Internationalism
"The world needs a creed of internationalism," continued the speaker. "Another war may come, but we cannot truthfully say it must come. We can prevent its coming if we will only educate our people in peace ideas."

"How can we reconcile internationalism with a true patriotism? A man can be a good Yorkshire man and a good Englishman. We must sink the smaller loyalties in the higher. It takes a long time to build a nation and it will take a long time to build Canada. Canada is only just laying her foundations. Let us remember this, it's good to be in at the foundation laying of any nation."

"There are two Canadas today. One the popular Canada, of real acate booms, political intrigues and scandals; the other the real Canada, the Canada our brothers died for in 1914; the Canada that reverences marriage; that will interpret England to America; that will always give a square deal in bargain; that reverences churches as institutions

FOUR MEN HURT IN LABOR UNION BATTLE

HOBOKEN, N.J., Sept. 25.—Two men were shot and two stabbed early today in a clash between members of the International Longshoremen's Association and alleged agents of the United States.

The closing thought was a strong appeal for religious education in the public school curriculum. "The churches and Sunday schools, he said, are not enough, they are good but can't do it all. He referred to the system used in some parts of the United States. In this system the children are taken to the denominational church and the minister of that church takes them in a course of religious training every day of the week. Each child attends the church of its parents' choice. He closed with this thought and added, the greatest contribution in the building of a nation is the production or development of the Christian character."

PIRACY RAMPANT BUT FOR BRITISH NAVY

Canada Allows Mother Country to Foot Bill of Protecting Shipyards, Says League President.

IVANCOUVER, Sept. 25.—"Canadians are quite ready to pay for police protection on the streets of their cities, but when it comes to protecting Canadian ships on the high seas, they sit back and allow the Mother Country to foot the bill."

"This is my answer to the question of piracy," said the speaker.

"If it were not for the protection of the British fleet piracy would be as rampant on the high seas as burglary is in a city without police forces. We need a navy, not to wage war but to keep Canada, the wonderful place of freedom, safety and security which she is today."

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FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of September 24, 1873)

Soldier Settlers for Manitoba Fifty Years Ago—An Order of the 4th Regt. The Adjutant-General has received instructions to raise immediately a force of two hundred men for service in Manitoba, in place of those now at Fort Garry, who are entitled to discharge. The men to be raised will be recruited for a period of one year, and for each further period, not exceeding two years as the Government may require. The pay and allowances will be the same as are now granted in Manitoba. Each man who joins and completes his period of service will, provided he has not already become entitled to a grant of land for further service in the same force, be entitled to the same.

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EVIDENCE GIVEN IN "ASPIRIN" NAME CASE

Messrs. D. E. Campbell and H. Burr
 Testify Before Special Drug
 Commission Section

Mr. W. H. Huggins, K.C., a commissioner appointed by the Exchequer Court of Canada to take evidence in the suit brought by the Bayer Company under the Trade Mark Act to restrain other drug companies from using the name Aspirin or any of its products, held a session in the County Court Chambers here last Saturday morning.

Mr. D. E. Campbell, former proprietor of Campbell's Drug Store, and Mr. H. Burr, of Hall's Drug Store, Douglas Street, were called as witnesses in the inquiry, which was concluded about noon. The commission left last night for the East, where the report will be made to the court in which it was appointed.

Mr. W. H. Huggins, the commissioner, is well known in Victoria as the secretary of the Pacific Sealing Commission, which held its sittings in this city in 1913 and 1914 to settle the claims of sealers.

The defendants in the action, which was recently before the Exchequer Court of Canada, were the National Drug & Chemical Company of Canada, Limited, and the United Drug Company of Canada, while the Bayer Company is defendant in a similar action by the American drugists' syndicate.

The commission has been traveling throughout the Dominion of Canada, taking evidence from leading retail druggists in the important localities relative to the sale of products bearing the name Aspirin. Evidence has been obtained by this court of inquiry in practically all the big centres in Canada.

Counsel who attended Saturday's session of the inquiry in the local court house were Mr. R. B. Smart, Ottawa, for the American drugists' syndicate; Mr. A. W. Longmuir, Toronto, for the Bayer Company; Mr. J. M. Telford, Hamilton, for the United Drug Company, and Mr. R. H. Symes, for the same com-

SEATTLE MAN TRY TO END OWN LIFE

Thomas Thomson, Guest at Windsor
 Hotel, Shoots Self—In Critical
 Condition at Hospital

Suffering from a wound which, it is believed by the police was self-inflicted, Thomas Thomson, aged 50 years, a visitor from Seattle, is lying at the Jubilee Hospital in a critical condition and will probably die. Thomson was found at 1:30 p.m. yesterday afternoon lying on the bed in the room he last week engaged at the Windsor Hotel, corner of Courtney and Government Streets, the right side of his head mangled and covered with blood. Lying alongside the man was a 32-calibre Iver Johnson revolver fully loaded, with one empty shell. The wound had been inflicted, the police believe, by Thomson placing the revolver in his mouth and firing a shot. On the floor was found a note intimating that Thomson had intended to take his own life and making suggestions about the disposition of his body.

The fact that the door to Thomson's room had remained locked since Saturday and the inmate of the room had not been seen, led Mr. J. A. Dadds, proprietor of the hotel, to force entrance to the room yesterday afternoon. The police were notified at once and Dr. Hart, coroner, called. Thomson could still talk, though with great difficulty. He made a rambling statement concerning his having suffered from pains in the head. He was rushed to the Jubilee Hospital in the police motor ambulance and medical attention given to him. His effects were taken charge of by Sergeant-Inspector Hentley who investigated the case.

Thomson was a periodical visitor to Victoria. Among his effects was a quantity of fishing gear which he intended using on an outing.

Ohio agriculturists have used airplanes carrying a gift of 600 pounds of arsenate of lead to kill caterpillars.

TAXES PINCHED ONE HUNDRED YEARS AGO

Ancient Handbill Satirized Wide-spread Levies—Interesting in View of Local Conditions

Present-day plaints against increasing taxation find an echo of sympathy far down the trail of history. Mr. Frank Burrell, of Oak Bay, has given to The Colonist a photograph of what was evidently a handbill printed in England one hundred years ago and containing satirical protest against excessive taxation. The text of this unique document is as follows:

Taxes—Upon every article that is put in the mouth, or covers the back, is placed under the foot.
 Taxes—Upon everything which is pleasant to see, hear, feel, smell or taste.
 Taxes—Upon warmth, light and locomotion.
 Taxes—On everything on earth, and everything under the earth, on everything that comes from abroad or is grown at home.
 Taxes—On the raw material.
 Taxes—On every value that is added to it by industry of man.
 Taxes—On the sauce that pampers man's appetite and the drug that restores him to health. On the ermine that decorates the judge and the rope that hangs the criminal. On the brass nails of the coffin and the ribbands of the bride at bed or at board, couchant or levant.

We Must Pay
 The schoolboy whips his taxed top; the tradesman's youth manages his taxed horse with a taxed bridle, on a taxed road, and the dying Englishman, pouring his medicine which he has paid 7 per cent into a spoon which has paid 15 per cent, throws himself back upon his chinks bed which has paid 25 per cent, makes his will on an eight-pound stamp and expires in the arms of an apothecary who has paid £100 for the privilege of putting him to death, whose whole property has been taxed from 2 to 10 per cent. Besides the probate, large fees are demanded for burying him in the chancel. His virtues are handed down to posterity on taxed marble. He is then gathered to his fathers to be taxed no more.

BIG PURCHASE OF UP-ISLAND TIMBER

Lumber Magnate From U.S. Secures
 Several Tracts—Logs to Be
 Shipped to Sound

NANAIMO, Sept. 25.—A quantity of standing timber, to be shipped later, and located in various parts of Upper Island, was purchased yesterday for a price reported to be \$50,000, according to the statement of J. H. Stuart, lumber magnate, who returned from Everett, Wash., last week with his wife and Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Miller, and were in the city on Saturday. He states the timber will be shipped to Puget Sound for milling, going in a series of booms to be towed by his own tug.

OPERATOR DEAD

OLYMPIA, Wash., Sept. 26.—George B. Fraser, Associated Press wire operator here and a pioneer newspaperman, died last night from the effects of a stroke of paralysis.

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LUMBER RESOURCES HELD UP, IS CLAIM

Two-Mile Breakwater at San Juan
 Harbor Is Needed Before Logging
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Thousands of feet of lumber are going to waste through the lack of a breakwater at San Juan Harbor. It was stated at a meeting of the Chamber of Commerce, discussing a request from Port Renfrew that their efforts to secure the establishment of a breakwater be endorsed. The breakwater proposed is about two miles long, and it is claimed that until it is built it will be impossible to take full advantage of the vast timber resources of the district.

Logs cannot be safely kept in the harbor on account of the strong southwest winds and until some protection is offered it was contended vast lumber resources are lying idle. The breakwater suggested would be about two miles long and its establishment would result in the commencement of logging operations of considerable importance.

A communication has been sent to the Dominion Government engineer enquiring as to the probable cost and the most suitable kind of breakwater.

Five Workmen Killed

CHARLESTON, W. Va., Sept. 26.—Five workmen employed by the Raleigh-Wyoming Coal Company, at Glenn Rogers, were killed Sunday afternoon, when a hoisting bucket, loaded with stone, fell down a 700-foot shaft, crushing them to death.

ENGLISH VISITOR ADMIRES VICTORIA

Beauties of City Are Highly Praised
 in an Interview Given to English
 Newspaper by Tourist

Speaking at the Stockbreeders' luncheon held at the Willows Fair grounds, Alderman E. S. Woodward took the opportunity to get in a good word before the visitors from the Prairie Provinces and the United States for the City of Victoria. During his recent trip East, Alderman Woodward said he saw no city which looked better to him than the city of Victoria. Building is progressing well in the city, he said, the climate is of the best and with the citizens eliminating the inclination to speak unfavorably of their own town, it had a fine future in store.

A recent article published in The Horne Advertiser, England, would substantiate Alderman Woodward's statement that Victoria has an appeal which other cities of Canada do not possess. Telling an English reporter how much better lights Victoria is than his home town of St. Albans, England, Mr. C. G. Davis, on his return to the latter city from a trip of Canada, during the course of which he visited Victoria, stated:

"There are electric light standards placed every 100 yards, with five electric lights on each standard. They are kept alight until twelve o'clock every night, and are then extinguished, with the exception of one light on each standard."

"It struck me that the people of the Dominion are far more loyal and prouder of the Mother Country than are people who live here," he continued. "They are intensely loyal and justifiably proud of the assistance they gave to the Empire in the Great War. They are hero worshippers, and they have two heroes in the realm of world affairs. One is the Prince of Wales and the other is Mr. Lloyd George. Like ourselves, they regard the Prince of Wales as a great sportsman and a perfect English gentleman. Mr. Lloyd George, to their way of thinking, is a statesman and diplomatist whose abilities in looking after Imperial interests cannot be surpassed."

"One of the outstanding features of Canadian life, as it impressed me, was the invariable courtesy and kindness of the people as a whole. In all the street cars there are placards bearing the injunction, 'By courtesy earn respect,' and everyone seems most anxious to oblige and help a stranger."

"Standards of comfort for the middle and working classes in the towns in Canada are much higher than in England, owing to the labor-saving devices employed and the airiness and good design of the houses."

WILL COMMEMORATE SAILING OF CANADIANS

Lady Alderson Chapter to Set Ever-
 lasting on Anniversary of Departure of First Contingent

Several members of the Lady Alderson Chapter, I.O.D.E., assembled yesterday afternoon at the home of the Regent, Mrs. McCall, and prepared everlasting flowers which will be on sale on October 3 to the public, in memory of the sailing of the first contingent from Canada. Any of the members' friends having everlasting in their gardens which they will donate for the occasion will be gratefully received by the Chapter.

On the afternoon of October 3, after 5 o'clock, the Chapter will be "at home" in the private dining-room of David Spencer's, Ltd., and the members hope that many of their friends will take this opportunity of meeting them and patronizing their effort.

OBITUARY NOTICES

DAVY.—The death occurred at the residence, 825 Walker Street, on September 25, of John Davy, a resident of this city for the past thirty years. Deceased was born at Taines, Devonshire, England, and is survived by his widow and two daughters, Mrs. Carstairs and Mrs. McGhee, also one son, Ernest Harold, all of Victoria. The remains are resting at the B. C. Funeral Chapel, whence the funeral will take place Wednesday afternoon, at 2 o'clock, Rev. Robt. Connell officiating. The funeral will be held under the auspices of the Victoria Columbia Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., interment in Ross Bay Cemetery.

BRINKMAN.—The funeral of the late Mr. Martin Brinkman, which was to have taken place yesterday afternoon, has been postponed until Wednesday afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, from the B. C. Funeral Chapel.

WONG.—The funeral of Baby Wong, eighteen-day-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Chaw Wong, will take place this afternoon, at 2:30 o'clock, from the B. C. Funeral Parlor. Interment at the Chinese Cemetery.

ROBERTSON.—The death occurred Sunday morning, at her home, 2817 Inlet Drive, of Mrs. Elizabeth Whitaker Robertson, beloved wife of Mr. James Robertson, age 32 years. She was born in Edinburgh, Scotland, and had been a resident of this city for the past two years. She is survived by her husband and one sister, Mrs. Florence Hutton, of Drumheller, Alberta. The funeral will take place this afternoon, at 2 o'clock, from the Bards Funeral Chapel, and interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

BARRY.—The funeral of the late

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King's Daughters—It was too soon
after the Fall Fair for complete re-
ports of the lunch room to be ready
to read at the regular meeting of the
King's Daughters yesterday after-
noon. These will be submitted at a
future meeting of the organization.
Mrs. Morley's report of the King's
Daughters' Hospital at Duncan an-
nounced that the new annex which
is being built would be publicly
opened on October 11. Sixty-two
inpatients had been cared for during
the month. The meeting also used
the Community Chest scheme, but
decided not to take part in this for
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Princess Patricia Lodge—Princess Patricia Lodge, No. 238, Daughters of St. George, will hold a whist drive at the home of Mrs. Coleman, 1051 Johnson Street, on Friday.

To Represent Oak Bay—Councillor H. F. Hewlett and Municipal Clerk Blundy will represent Oak Bay at the coming convention of the Union of B.C. Municipalities at Kamloops.

Welsh Choir—A full attendance is expected at the meeting of the Welsh Choir this evening at the Congregational Church, corner of Quadra and Mason Streets at 8 o'clock sharp.

Celebrates Birthday—Mr. J. H. Falconer, member of the Provincial Liquor Control Board, is receiving congratulations on the occasion of his 55th birthday, which he celebrated yesterday.

Victoria Review, W.B.A.—The regular meeting of Victoria Review, No. 1, W.B.A., will be held this evening at 7:30 o'clock, at 902 Government Street, and the social dance which will follow will commence at 8:30.

Address Club—Mr. E. Howard Durwin, B.A., of Seattle, W.A., will address the Kiwanis Club at its weekly luncheon in the Dominion Hotel today on the subject, "The Spirit of Co-operation and its Relations to Community Development."

Named Another Delegate—Told that Alderman Gillespie would not be able to attend the convention of the Union of B.C. Municipalities at Kamloops, October, the City Council last night appointed Alderman Perry as the fifth Victoria delegate in his place.

Elks to Have Social—What promises to be a pleasant social function will be held by the Elks Lodge on Thursday evening. Heaton's orchestra will supply the music, and refreshments will be served. Elks and their friends are cordially invited to be present.

Chinese School Entered—Investigation by police of the report made by Mr. Peter Riddell, supervisor of schools, that the Chinese school, Railway Street, had been entered, showed that a window in the rear of the school had been broken, but so far as could be ascertained nothing had been stolen.

Lad Struck by Motor—Russ Francis, a lad residing at 1744 Ave. Avenue, was hurt on Sunday when run down by the motor car driven by Miss Forrester, of 1018 Amphion Street. The boy suffered cuts, about the head which were dressed at the Jubilee Hospital, after which he was able to walk to his own home.

Tactical Exercise—District orders of Military District No. 11, issued by Brigadier-General J. M. Ross for the week of September 22, announce that an outdoor tactical exercise will be held for officers of the non-permanent active militia, commencing Saturday, September 30, and terminating Sunday, October 1.

Court Maple Leaf—A very successful dance and whist drive was held last night by Court Maple Leaf, at the Foresters Hall. A good attendance of guests participated in the dance, and eleven tables were in play in the card rooms. Mr. and Mrs. Bulley were the fortunate winners of the first prize.

Cases Remanded—Charles Peterson and Richard Mather appeared in the City Police Court yesterday morning to face a charge of being in possession of a lottery ticket. Accused entered a plea of not guilty through counsel, Mr. Richard G. Low. The court obtained an adjournment in the case until Wednesday, September 27.

Harvest Home Supper—One of the events of interest this week will be the harvest home supper served by the ladies of the Hampshire Road Methodist Church tonight, between the hours of 8 and 9 o'clock. After supper an interesting programme will be given by local talent. This will be a rare treat at bargain day prices.

Pleaded Not Guilty—Plea of not guilty was entered yesterday morning by Sam Lee, Lee Joe and Lo, three Chinamen, who were charged with being found in a common gaming house, in the City Police Court, before Magistrate Jay. The accused were represented by Mr. William C. Morley, who secured a remand until tomorrow morning.

Chinamen Fined—Lee Hong and Lam Sing were each fined \$25 and \$25.00 costs, with the option of one month's imprisonment, yesterday, in the City Police Court, by Magistrate Jay, for being in possession of an opium apparatus. Wing, who was given a similar fine for the same offence, pleaded not guilty through his counsel, Mr. Cleve G. White.

W. C. T. U. Meets—The W. C. T. U. Central will hold the monthly parlor social in the rooms of the Y. W. C. A. on Thursday next at 3 p.m., when will be read the reports of the delegates to the recent Provincial W. C. T. U. convention at Chilliwack. It is hoped that there will be a good attendance at the Thursday afternoon gathering.

Autumn Carnival Rehearsals—Announcement has been made that the following rehearsals for the Autumn Carnival will take place today: Fairies at 4 o'clock; Garland Girls, 4:30; Wood Nymphs, 5; San Toy, 7:30; Bohemians, 8; Carmen, 9; and the Spanish dances, 9:30, and tomorrow the Parisian Romance at 8; the Merry Widow at 8:30, and the Minuet at 9.

Illustrated Lecture on Egypt—Tonight at 8 o'clock Dr. Knox Wright, British Columbia secretary of the Nile Society, will deliver a lecture on Egypt in the First Presbyterian Church. The lecture will be illustrated with colored slides and will be both interesting and instructive alike to young and old. The public is cordially invited.

Takes Position in Ottawa—Miss Annie Strath, private secretary of Hon. W. H. Rutherford, Minister of Public Works, leaves this week for Ottawa, where she has accepted a position in the office of Hon. J. H. King, Federal Minister of Public Works, for whom she was private secretary when Hon. Dr. King was in the Provincial Cabinet here.

Got Radio Certificate—N. J. Smith, of Victoria, is among those announced by the Department of Marine as successful in obtaining certificates of proficiency in radio telegraphy during the month of August. The list is as follows: First class (amateur): R. Black, T. H. Burton, G. W. Bonavia, W. H. Brakes, F. F. Cooper, E. H. Harris, B. Huford, N. J. Smith, Victoria, B.C.

Opening Delayed—The opening of the vehicular portion of the new Johnson Street Bridge is delayed through some electrical fittings not yet having arrived. These are expected at any time now, and the bridge will be opened shortly after the equipment reaches the city. The E. & N. Railway is ready to run its trains over the bridge immediately this occurs.

Fell Off Bicycle—The slippery condition of the pavements at 8 o'clock yesterday, was responsible for an unfortunate accident to a lad named West, whose home is on Menzies Street. He was riding a bicycle on Government Street near the Post Office, when his wheel turned and he was thrown to the pavement, sustaining a bad cut on the head which required to be stitched.

A. and N. Veterans—The annual convention of the Provincial Command of the Army and Navy Veterans' Association will be held next Saturday afternoon in South Vancouver, when election of officers for the ensuing term will take place and a number of important matters discussed. The Victoria unit of the organization will be represented by two delegates, Comrades A. A. Fagg and Thomas Jones.

Close Streets—A by-law closing two streets in the Oak Bay Park was given two readings by the Oak Bay Council last night. The streets have always been closed, but never legally so. The action of the Council must be approved by the Provincial Government, and the municipalities will be able to proceed with the obtaining of the title to the park, the purchase of which was recently authorized by the ratepayers.

Exhibit Donated—The Ward Two (Saanech) Cottage Gardeners have donated the Fall Fair exhibit of fruit and vegetables to the Health Centre at Royal Oak. The gift is a timely and acceptable one, and is gratefully acknowledged by Mrs. Lucas, the centre's warden. The produce is to be distributed among needy persons in Saanech so much of the fruit and vegetables as the patients and staff of the hospitals will not be able to use.

Apron Tea—Invitations have been issued to the members of the Y.W.C.A. and the friends for tea at the Association Building, 745 Yates Street, Wednesday, from 3 to 5:30 p.m. Accompanying the invitation is a tin apron with a pocket in which is to be deposited a wafer of the amount of pennies. A good musical programme under Miss Kate Hemming's direction will be rendered. Mrs. M. Moore and Mrs. H. H. Smith will preside at the tables.

Taxation Meeting—A meeting of the Trades License Commission of the Chamber of Commerce, under the chairmanship of Ald. Reginald Hayward, will take place tonight in the Council Chamber at the City Hall, at 8 o'clock, at which local merchants are especially invited to be present. The purpose of the meeting is to hear the views of business men on the City Council's proposals to change the system of taxation and base it on a rental valuation. The gathering is open to the public.

Holsum Products' Guessing Contest—The outcome of the guessing contest held at the Fair last week by the Holsum Products, Ltd., on the number of special English style onion pickles contained in the glasses was that Mr. C. W. Owen, 2247 Bowker Avenue, won the first prize of one case assorted Holsum brand pickles, relish, etc.; the second prize of one gallon of Holsum brand mixed pickles was won by Mr. R. D. Stephens, 1185 Old Esquimalt Road.

Commencing Winter Programme—The Victoria Amateur Swimming Club are opening their Winter programme at the Elks' Hall, Weller Block, Douglas Street, on Monday, October 2. All affairs arranged by this club have been very successful in the past, and the social committee are working to surpass their previous efforts. Professor Heaton's orchestra will supply the music. Dancing will be from 9 till 11, and refreshments will be served. Tickets can be obtained at the Beehive and Royal Dairy, or the committee.

Poultry Prizes—Prizes for poultry in the children's classes at the Fall Fair were won as follows: Best pair of Golden Bantams, Red, 1, Bertie Sutton; Barred Plymouth Rocks, 2, Robert W. Dayton; S. C. Anconas, 3, A. E. Hale; White Favonelles, 4, Earl Sarlat; Bantams, best pair Golden Bantams, 1, Owen Smith; Buff Cochins China, 2, Wm. Blakeney; 3, John Parker; Ducks, best pair, Pekin, 1, John Blakeney. Entry for White Orpington cockerel, third and fourth prizes should be awarded to S. Cross.

Esquimalt Council—At a quiet session of the Esquimalt Council last night, a communication from the Inspector of Municipalities informed the Council that if it wished it could give one-half of its share of the liquor proceeds to a hospital where inhabitants of Esquimalt are being cared for. The Council, however, had included the whole of its share of the said proceeds in its general estimate at the time the year's budget was being considered. The clerk was instructed to write the Provincial authorities, asking for permission to use Esquimalt's share of the liquor proceeds for general revenue purposes.

Wants Duty Removed—That he intended to resign as director of the Chamber of Commerce a resolution asking the Dominion Government to abolish the duty on lumber entering Canada in order to prevent retaliatory measures on the part of the United States Government was the statement made by Mr. J. O. Cameron at the luncheon of the directors in the Empress Hotel yesterday.

He pointed out that 40 per cent of the lumber manufactured in British Columbia went to the States. While in the new American tariff act there was duty placed on lumber, power to impose retaliatory tariffs was given, and the Canadian Government had a duty on certain kinds of lumber which might result in these powers being utilized in regard to this product.

Receives Honor—Mr. Alex. Feden, manager of the local office of the New York Life Insurance Company, was presented with an engraved silver cup by members of the Western Division \$100,000 Club of the New York Insurance Company, at a special session which it held in Seattle last week following the annual convention which took place at the Empress Hotel here. The trophy which Mr. Feden received was given as a mark of appreciation of the efforts put forth by him in connection with the entertainment of the insurance delegates during their three-day visit in Victoria. Mr. Thomas A. Buckner, vice-president of the company, has stated that it is quite likely that the \$200,000 Club will hold its annual meeting here in a year or two.

Action Continues—The action of Milligan vs. the B.C. Electric Railway started yesterday in the County Court before His Honor Judge Lammiman. The plaintiff, Mr. Andrew Milligan, claims \$1,000 for damages done to his motor car in collision with one of the B.C. Electric Railway's cars during the early part of the year. As a result of the accident, one of the occupants, a child, was killed a few hours later, while some months following another occupant of the motor car passed away. The evidence for the plaintiff was heard yesterday morning and afternoon, while the case for the defence will be continued this morning. The plaintiff is represented by Mr. H. A. Maclean, K.C., while Mr. Harold C. Robertson and Mr. A. D. King are appearing for the B.C. Electric Company.

Cases at Sidney—Wong, a Chinaman, pleaded guilty yesterday in the Provincial police court at Sidney to a charge of having opium in his possession and was fined \$200, with the option of six months in jail. If Wong, who claims he is a British subject, cannot produce his naturalization papers, he will be deported. Low Sam, who was jointly charged with Wong, was acquitted, Wong having taken all the blame himself. Chang Lee Lung, who was accused of "having liquor unlawfully on his business premises" was also acquitted. The prosecution was conducted by Ernest Miller represented the accused. Mr. Otway Wilkie, senior constable, Provincial Police, appeared for the Crown. Messrs. Alex. McDonald and J. J. White, two J.P.s of Sidney, presided over the court.

**AUTHOR OF TWENTY
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TORONTO, Sept. 25.—Gordon Hill Graham, of Stoney Lake, Ont., an author still in his twenties, is the winner of the \$2,500 prize awarded by the publisher of Hodder & Broughton and the Munson Book Company for competition among Canadian novelists. There were 250 contestants, but only three all but seven were eliminated before the process of judging entered upon its final stage.

TORONTO, Sept. 25.—It is announced that C. H. Gibbons, of Toronto, with his novel "A Rough-dough Samaritan," was the runner-up in the all-Canadian prize novel contest, organized by the publishing houses.

Mr. Gibbons is a well known newspaper man who formerly made his home in Victoria. He was for many years connected with The Colonist, and left for the West with a Forestry draft early in 1917.

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Senator Pearce attended the Washington Limitation of Armaments Conference as Australian representative. Upon his return he presented a bill of expenses amounting to approximately \$42,500. Some senators thought this was high, but the Commonwealth Treasurer, Mr. Bruce, came forward as one with experience of hotel bills in the United States and declared one could not live in a Washington hotel for \$250 a week unless one had no morals.

THE WEATHER

Metropolitan Office, Victoria, B.C., at 1 p.m., September 26, 1922.

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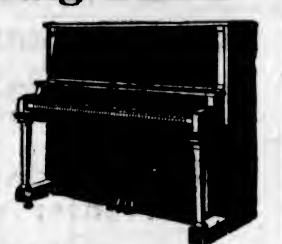
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FIRST PRESBYTERIANS GIVE CHURCH CONCERT

Next Wednesday evening, commencing at 8 o'clock, the First Presbyterian Church Sunday School will hold the annual rally day concert in the schoolroom of the church. No efforts have been spared to make the programme one of the

best ever given, some of the best talent having consented to assist. Songs will be rendered by Misses Houldersworth, N. Jones, C. Hamilton, and Mr. Petrie; recitations by Mr. J. Walker; piano duets by Miss Jessie Smith and Mr. Jack Smith; humorous songs by Mr. Alf. Adams; quartettes by Misses Jones and Hamilton, Messrs. Thomas, and Saunders. Members from the Junior department will give a sketch and four members from the intermediate department will give an exhibition of club singing. The Pasa-Pasa Young Ladies' Bible Class will present a camp-fire scene, and the programme will conclude with an exhibition of conjuring by Mr. Arthur Smith, who is a well-known entertainer.

The proceeds of the concert will be devoted to the Sunday School. As a very large attendance is expected, doors will be open at 7:30 p.m.

CAPT. T. J. GOODLAKE ADDRESSES GYROS

Rotary Club Secretary Speaks on Purpose of Community Service Organizations

"The community service club is an educated democracy. The real purpose of these organizations is to develop and train their members for efficient service in the various walks of life," declared Captain T. J. Goodlake, secretary of the Victoria Rotary Club, in addressing members of the Gyro Club at their regular weekly luncheon, which was held yesterday at noon in the private dining-room of the Hudson's Bay Company.

Captain Goodlake, at the commencement of his discourse, pointed out that the term "service organization" had no "outshell definition." Service clubs were not in competition with the Chamber of Commerce, nor were they auxiliaries to that civic enterprise. Neither were these clubs collecting agencies nor general charity organizations. These clubs were not flourishing for the conducting of tax drives, either, said the speaker. "I would describe a service club as a school for service, a place in which its members could obtain training to enable them to become good citizens. The education which they receive in this way is in many cases equal to a university experience. Many are the opportunities which are offered, while the responsibilities are also shared by those associated with these clubs. A member of a community service club receives a splendid knowledge of the problems of the day which stands him in good stead for his business," Captain Goodlake continued.

The speaker thought that every member of a community service organization should have some particular work to do. That work should be done systematically. There should be no room for "dead wood" in a service club, and if a member didn't particularly like to put his shoulder to the wheel and help carry the burdens and responsibilities which from time to time arise, then he could soon drop out of the organization. Captain Goodlake told the Gyros that they could not get any more out of Gyro than what they put in.

Supports Community Chest
Gyro Jack Clay, the club's representative on the Community Chest committee, informed the meeting of the progress which had been made in regard to the formation in Victoria of a Community Chest, which would act as a clearing house for moneys to be given to various charities and such organizations which require philanthropic support. The speaker stated that between \$50,000 and

\$70,000 would be required in the drive for funds, which he said would likely take place next month. The Gyro Club endorsed the Community Chest scheme.

It was announced that Gyro Gordon A. Cameron had won the first club golf handicap. The civic affairs committee of the club will hold a luncheon meeting at 12 noon on Thursday next at Terry's Drug Store, corner of Fort and Douglas Streets.

Gyro Harold Butters, president of the club, presided at yesterday's meeting. Enjoyable musical selections were rendered by the Gyro orchestra under the conductorship of Gyro Chris Wade.

VICTORIA RANGE HAS NEW FEATURES

Patents of Local Man Are Drawn Attention to in "Hot-R-Way" Range Exhibit at Fall Fair

An interesting Victoria product shown at the Fall Fair at the Willows was Jack's Hot-R-Way range. This range is manufactured expressly for Jack's stove store by the Ashton Stove Works, of this city, and it is everything the name implies. These ranges, two of which were set up in the Home Products Building at the fair grounds, differ from the ordinary range on the market by reason of the fact that they are fitted with an exceptional shallow fire box, which is only made possible by the construction of a newly patented water front and fire back which entirely eliminates the necessity of using the old cumbersome projecting knob front. This new device permits the free use of the two front cover holes, so that utensils may be set in over the fire when quick heat is required.

One of the outstanding features of the range is its economical consumption of fuel, and on account of the special new device in a heat-retaining damper, no heat is wasted. This damper, by retaining the heat in the firebox, ensures a constant supply of assuming hot water without the use of unnecessary fuel for that purpose. Under the usual method of heating water in a range where a constant supply is required coils are used, detracting from the heat of the oven; this device avoids any interference with the use of the oven, as is found to be the case in most methods. Another item in the removal of continual expense is the practically indestructible firebox. When it is remembered that in Canada alone there are hundreds of thousands of firebox linings used for repairs annually, it will be readily seen that any device that will eliminate approximately 75 per cent of this waste should have the serious consideration of every careful housewife.

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Women's Fine Pure Wool Directoire Knickers, with reinforced seat; shown in navy, grey and mauve, \$3.50 each.

Jaeger Pure Wool Directoire Knickers, in navy and nigger brown, \$3.95 a pair.

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Women's Fleece Lined Vests with V-neck, short sleeves or low neck and no sleeves. Sizes 36, 38 and 40, \$5.50 each.

Women's Heavy Fleece Lined Vests with low neck and short or no sleeves, \$1.15, \$1.25, \$1.35 and \$1.50 each.

Women's Fine Wool Mixture Vests with band top and short or no sleeves, \$1.95 and \$2.50 each.

Women's Light Weight Wool Vests with long or short sleeves, or band top and shoulder straps, \$1.95, \$2.25 and \$2.75 each.

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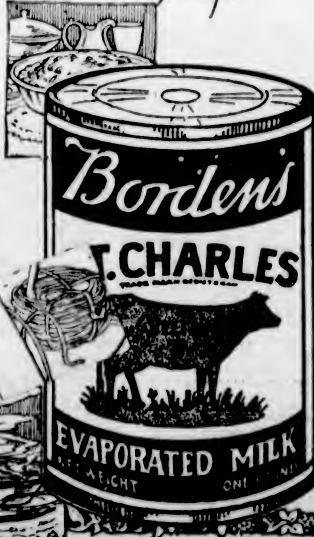
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CLOUDS PREVENT TEST OF EINSTEIN THEORY

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—Clouds prevented the German-Dutch expedition from landing photographs at Christmas Island in the Pacific, intended to test the Einstein theory, according to a report today to the Astronomical Institute at Potsdam.

A few pictures of the sun's corona, however, were taken through the clouds. These may prove of service in the investigation. It is assumed here that despite the unfavorable weather the expedition was able to make other important observations in connection with the eclipse.

KUMTUKS PLAN TO HOLD PARTY

Dance Will Be Held at Alexandra Ballroom on October 13—"Big Sisters" Scheme Progresses

A number of special events are planned by the Kumtuka Club to take place during the next few weeks. Notice of these was given at the regular business meeting of the society yesterday at Spencer's luncheon. Miss Hoxton, the president, presiding. The day's paper was the reading by Mrs. H. P. Hodges of Alderman Todd's report on the Greater Victoria scheme. This brought out his arguments in favor of consolidation under one central governing body of the five municipalities represented in the Victoria district and which at present require the administration of five governing bodies. By concentration these separate units would gain strength for the carrying out of any projects tending to the promotion of the district's best interests, such as improved roads, policing, fire-protection, development of tourist attractions, etc. Could not one central governing body be organized to do this work, thus eliminating the counter-interests and counter-forces and turning all constructive forces into a single channel.

The club has decided to hold its second annual dance in the Alexandra ballroom, on Friday, October 13. Heaton's five-piece orchestra having been engaged to supply the music. The next business meeting of the club will be held on October 16, and on October 7 the members will visit the Protestant Orphan's Home for the purpose of considering the "Big Sisters" scheme projected at a meeting some weeks ago.

IRISH PRISONERS TUNNEL TO FREEDOM

CORK, Sept. 25.—Thirty-nine Irishmen held prisoner in the county jail are reported to have escaped by tunnelling to a disused shaft by which they reached a manhole in the road outside the jail. Only two were recaptured.

RADIOPHONE DRAWS HUNDREDS AT FAIR

Great Interest Shown in Music, Press Reports, Etc. Received From Canadian and U.S. Cities

Music, stock and crop reports, and current news broadcasted from stations situated at points as close as Vancouver and Seattle and as far away as Regina, Calgary, Salt Lake City, and California points, were picked up last week by the radio-telephone equipment installed in the main building at the Fair Grounds by the Western Canada Radio Supply Ltd., and were heard by hundreds of Victorians who in this way learned of the wonders of radio at first hand.

A loud-speaking horn was installed in the Radio Supply Company's booth, and from it poured the varied broadcastings picked up through the medium of at first an outside aerial, and when that one went out of commission on Friday night, a copper wire strung from the rafters inside the building. At almost any time during the afternoon and evening it is possible to find radio-telephone broadcasting going on from stations within range of local equipment. A sign at the back of the booth showed from what source the music or reports coming from the horn were being received, and the crowds gathered about to listen and marvel.

Various kinds of music were heard during the week, some being gramophone broadcastings while others were actual artists singing in Seattle. The latest news from all parts of the world came through the ether and was given to the people in the building through the receiving equipment.

A humorous incident occurred on one occasion when the apparatus

picked up an address an evangelist was delivering. It is not known from whence the broadcasting came, but the equipment in the booth cut in on it just at the moment when the speaker was declaring that the members of his audience were going to perdition. This announcement made unexpectedly to three gathered about was greeted with a laugh.

The Western Canada Radio Supply Ltd., has the sole distributing rights on Vancouver Island and adjacent islands for the equipment of the Canadian Radio Corporation, Ltd.

C. P. R. CLUB HOLDS PLEASANT CARD GAME

The first military 500 game under the auspices of the C.P.R. Social and Athletic Club was held Friday night in the private dining-room of the Empress Hotel. Considering the inclement weather and the big attraction at the Willows, there was a good attendance, seventeen tables being in play. Some exciting games were played, and at the end of the evening the highest score stood at 25, and was claimed by Mrs. Cousins, Mrs. Russell, Mrs. Young and Mr. Henkel. The second highest score of 22 was made at four different tables, and a "cut" being required to the prize was allotted to Mrs. Mathews, Mrs. Kirby, Messrs. W. Wilby and D. Fyvie. The remaining three tables again "cut" for third prize, which was won by Mrs. Wolfe, Mrs. Fairall, Messrs. E. B. Knowlton and W. Hogan. The prize for the ten bid also raised quite an excitement, as it was made at no more than six tables. It was ultimately won by Mrs. Cronk and Mr. J. Johnston.

Quite a number of new players were at the tables, while the old standbys all expressed pleasure in again being present at the C.P.R. popular card drive.



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NO INTENTION TO CHALLENGE JUST YET

Sir Thomas Lipton Makes Declaration
To New York Admirers on
Arrival.

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Sir Thomas Lipton, arriving yesterday on the White Star liner Baltic, declared he had no intention of challenging the United States to another America's Cup yacht race, at least not until 1924. What he came for, he said, "was to have a little fun and perhaps sell a little tea." Despite his seventy-four years, Sir Thomas declared there was nothing in the wind for him right now but health and happiness. Then, as proof that he had not given up the idea of challenging for the seventh time, he pinned tiny bronzed flags of "his navy" upon the breasts of the United States admirers, who, led by Sir Harry Lauder, came down the bay to welcome him. Each flag was bordered with green, with a black rock, and a white sail.

SPORTING NEWS

GEORGES CARPENTIER MEETS HIS DOWNFALL

Fails to Stay Six Rounds With Battling Siki, Senegalese Boxer, Who Hands Frenchman's Former Idol Terrific Beating in Fight for Heavyweight Championship of France

Fallen Hero Hooted At When Carried From Ring

PARIS, Sept. 25.—The sporting world of France is acclaiming a new hero, Battling Siki, the Senegalese fighter, who yesterday won the heavyweight championship of France by defeating Georges Carpentier in the sixth round of what was to have been a twenty-round bout.

This morning's papers agreed that Carpentier was completely outwitted by the negro, and the latter is given great credit for his rugged fighting qualities and aggressive ring tactics.

Carpentier never had a chance after the third round. He was barely able to respond to the bell at the beginning of the sixth.

With his right eye completely closed and his nose broken, he was unable to put up a guard. In the sixth, the negro fighter planted a series of terrific rights to Carpentier's head and the French idol crumpled to the floor. One of his legs caught between the legs of the negro while he was falling. One minute and 10 seconds of the round had elapsed.

The crowd, the largest that ever witnessed a boxing contest, sensed the end. All was uproar. Many persons jumped into the ring and carried the fallen hero on their shoulders to his corner.

Change of Verdict
The referee, Harry Bernstein, at first ruled that Siki had been disqualified for tripping, but the throng, which considered that Carpentier had been beaten squarely by a better man, received the decision with great cheering of hoots and jeers, even threatening the referee with bodily harm. The three judges went into consultation. An hour later they declared the negro was the winner. Their verdict was received with terrific cheering from the spectators. Carpentier had been hooted by large members of the crowd as he was taken from the ring to his dressing room.

The defeat of Carpentier was entirely unexpected. He was the favorite when the men entered the ring and the crowd was dumbfounded when they saw their idol of the ring pummeled all over.

Warned for Butting
Carpentier tried every trick of his ring knowledge to stave off defeat. Twice he was warned for butting during the fifth round. It seemed evident that he was anxious to be disqualified by the referee rather than to suffer the ignominy of a knockout. When his subterfuge became apparent, the crowd, which had previously been pulling for him, jeered and hooted him and cheered the negro.

Some More Butting
Finally, however, he caught Carpentier with a short hook to the jaw and the Frenchman went down. Carpentier, who was near the ropes, slipped to the floor and butted Siki in the stomach. The Frenchman was helpless. Again he was warned by the referee for butting. Meanwhile he was yelling to the referee to stop the encounter. When the bell rang Carpentier groggily staggered to his corner.

When the gong rang for the sixth round, Carpentier was hardly able to stand. A majority of the spectators expected Descamps to throw in the sponge, as the Frenchman was unable to rise on his hands. A short uppercut from Siki sent Carpentier reeling backwards and then the negro drove hard right and left to the floor. Carpentier crumpled to the floor halfway through the ropes, completely out, after one minute and ten seconds of fighting.

**NEW YORK GIANTS
WIN THE PENNANT**

Make Championship Certain by Defeating St. Louis in Ten Innings—Yankess Require One More

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—The New York Giants today won the National League championship by defeating St. Louis 5-4 in ten innings.

The Giants can now lose all of the remaining seven games and still finish in the lead, even if Pittsburgh wins its three remaining games.

Needling one more victory to clinch the American League championship, New York Yankees cannot settle the issue with the St. Louis Browns before Thursday, when they play the Red Sox at Boston.

The Giants won the National League championship today for the tenth time. It was the eighth championship won in New York under McGraw's leadership since 1904, and marks the first time since 1913 that a National League champion has repeated.

The game here with St. Louis and the game at Philadelphia with Cincinnati were the only ones scheduled for today in the National League. No American League games were scheduled.

Score—
R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 4 3 9
New York..... 5 11 1
Pfeffer and Clemens; McQuillan, Ryan and Snyder.

At Philadelphia—
R. H. E.
Cincinnati..... 10 14 3
Philadelphia..... 3 9 1
Rickey and Hargrave; Behan, G. Smith and Peters.

At Pittsburgh—
R. H. E.
Detroit Americans..... 4 14 0
Pittsburgh Nationals..... 1 2 3
Gidham and Woodall Brown, Glasgow and Jonnard, Mattor.

ALBION MEET TONIGHT

A general meeting of the Albion Cricket Club will be held this evening at 8 o'clock in the office of Messrs. Halsternman, Forman & Co., 603 View Street, when reports on the season just closed will be received and officers for next year will be elected. A good turnout of members is looked for.

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SPORT IS POOR WITH THE BLUES

Few Local Hunters Get Good Bags on Opening Day of Season for Shooting Elusive Grouse

Light or empty bags were the lot of the vast majority of the hunters who went out on the opening day for blue grouse. Putting back the opening of the season a week later than usual, letting the deer hunters out in the woods a week before the grouse season opened, and an abnormally dry summer, which meant very few algal berries on the hillside, all contributed to the disappointment of most of the grouse hunters. There were a few, of course, who did fairly well, mostly those who had the time and leisure to go farther back and higher up, but in most of the better known blue grouse districts fairly accessible to the city hunter, birds were found to be very few and far between. In places where a week or two before the opening of the season the prospecting hunter had found coveys big and numerous, the same hunter in many cases failed to get, not his limit, but anything at all.

Most of the better bags were made on the Malahat, though there were many hunters on that far-famed mountain who drew a blank, or very near it. On Salt Spring Island bags were for the most part only fair, and seventeen for two men for two days was about the best heard of.

Disappointed
When it was known that there were lots of birds to be seen during the summer, and it is equally well known by the hunters that after the middle of September getting blue grouse is none too easy a matter with the birds working back and into the trees, a good deal of criticism has been heard of the policy adopted of putting the opening date back so late, and a good deal more criticism of the opening of the deer season a week before the grouse hunter is allowed his chance. Those who have been in the woods regularly know that there are plenty of blue grouse in the country, but they also know that they are mighty hard to get at this time. From the point of view of conservation the policy has no doubt worked to perfection, as very few birds comparatively have been shot, but the average hunter would have preferred an earlier season, if a short one, and many say they would have preferred a close season altogether than to have it opened under such conditions that it was practically impossible to get any.

Few Good Bucks Shot
The deer hunters were little more successful this week-end than the grouse hunters, but they have less cause for complaint. Deer hunting should get better as the season progresses, and the bagging of good bucks is always harder early in the season than late. Several nice ones were killed by the more lucky, or more skilful, hunters, and as the deer season is not yet far advanced, the chances are that the hunters should all have a good chance of getting their legal limit before it closes. Meanwhile the blue grouse opening so disappointing are eagerly awaiting the coming of October 14, when they will be able to get after the pheasants and quail. All accounts agree that pheasants are in good numbers this year, as they have not the same habit of betaking themselves to the tall timber, as the blue grouse do in the Fall, prospects seem good for the pheasant and quail shooting making up for the scarcity of sport with the "blues."

**ALBION TENNIS IS
POSTPONED FOR RAIN**

PORT ALBION, Sept. 25.—The return tennis match between the "B" teams of the Albion and Port Alberni Clubs, which was scheduled to take place yesterday, had to be postponed owing to rain. The weather improves the match will probably be played on Saturday next.

OLD COUNTRY FOOTBALL

LONDON, Sept. 25.—Results of football games in the Scottish League, division one, played in the Old Country today follow:

Aberdeen, 3; Celtic, 1.
Clyde, 1; Rangers, 2.
Third Lanark, 1; Partick Thistle, 1.

In an English League game third division, southern section, Southend United tied with Aberdeen, 1-1.

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ELKS WIN AGAIN IN TENNIS MATCH

Are Eleven Games Ahead of Sergeants' Mess at End of Return Tournament.

The Elks' tennis team duplicated their success of the previous week, when they met the Sergeants' Mess at Work Point Barracks on Sunday and won by the small margin of 11 games, the final score being: Elks, 145; Sergeants' Mess, 138.

Weather conditions were favorable, and a number were on hand to witness these teams clash and a very enjoyable time was spent by all present. During the afternoon tea was served by the ladies of the two clubs. The feature of the match was the decisive victory of the Sergeants' Mess in the ladies' doubles, the home players winning every set. In the men's doubles the Elks won all the sets with the exception of the first, which was won by Knox and Elton (Sergeants' Mess) and Collings and Wilcox (Elks). The feature of this match was the sensational work of Knox of the home team.

The complete results are as follows:

Mixed Doubles
Mrs. Knox and Knox (Garrison), beat Mrs. Collings and Collings (Garrison), 6-0.
Mrs. Elton and Elton (Garrison), beat Miss Becker and Wilcox (Elks), 6-4.
Mrs. Bonner and Bonner (Garrison), lost to Miss Wood and McIntyre (Elks), 6-2.
Mrs. Bradley and Pocock (Garrison), lost to Miss Becker and Stewart (Elks), 7-5.
Mrs. Wyndham and Wyndham (Garrison), lost to Miss Ross and Stocks (Elks), 7-5.
Mrs. Kendrick and Kendrick (Garrison), lost to Miss Pilzer and White (Elks), 6-0.
Mrs. Carr and Carr (Garrison), lost to Miss DuBois and Knight (Elks), 6-2.

Ladies' Doubles
Mrs. Elton and Mrs. Bradley (Garrison), beat Miss DuBois and Miss Becker (Elks), 6-2.
Mrs. Knox and Mrs. Wyndham (Garrison), beat Miss Ross and Miss Pilzer (Elks), 6-1.
Mrs. Bonner and Mrs. Youngman (Garrison), beat Mrs. Collins and Mrs. Wood (Elks), 7-5.
Mrs. Carr and Mrs. Kendrick (Garrison), beat Miss DuBois and Miss Greenwood (Elks), 7-5.
Mrs. Wyndham and Mrs. Henry (Garrison), beat Miss Wichter and Miss F. Ross (Elks), 6-4.
Mrs. Pocock and Mrs. Bradley (Garrison), beat Mrs. Wood and Miss Rutledge (Elks), 6-2.

Men's Doubles
Knox and Elton (Garrison), beat Collings and Wilcox (Elks), 6-3, 4-6, 6-0.
Wyndham and Bonner (Garrison), lost to Stocks and White (Elks), 6-4, 1-6, 6-0.
Wyndham and Grimes (Garrison), lost to Rumsey and McIntyre (Elks), 6-4, 6-4.
Henry and Wallace (Garrison), lost to Barratt and Stocks (Elks), 6-2, 6-3.
Kendrick and Bonner (Garrison), lost to Ross and White (Elks), 6-2, 6-0.
Henry and Wallace (Garrison), beat Barratt and Duncan (Elks), 6-2, 6-5.
Total games won, by Elks, 145; Garrison, 138.

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SPORTING NEWS

MILLION FRANCS SIKI'S PRICE

**Demands This Modest Sum for
Fight With Wills in United
States in Answer to Offer
Made to Him**

**CARPENTIER RESTING
BY DOCTOR'S ORDERS**

**Not Yet Aware of the Loss of
His Title—Is Too Ill to Read
—Thinks He Won From
Dusky Opponent**

PARIS, Sept. 25.—A cool million francs is what Battling Siki, the conqueror of Georges Carpentier, wants to go to the United States to fight Harry Wills at the Polo Grounds on October 26, manager Hellere cabled Tom O'Rourke, the American fight promoter this evening, in answer to an offer of \$10,000.

Hellere said he considered O'Rourke's offer totally inadequate. He added that he had received an offer of a large sum for Siki to meet the winner of the Joe Beckett-Frank Moran fight in England on "Boxing Day," the day after Christmas.

Beckett and Moran will fight October 12. The manager of the Senegalese said he did not desire to go to the United States unless the financial inducements made it worth while.

Siki himself at first was disinclined to make the trip to the United States, but later said he would do so if Hellere's terms were accepted. It is the opinion of Hellere that it would be a good thing for Siki to meet Wills immediately, as he considers Wills the only man standing in the way of a bout between Siki and Jack Dempsey for the world's championship.

The message sent by Hellere to O'Rourke this evening was as follows:

Would Like a Million
"Want 1,000,000 francs net, exclusive of income tax. Am ready to leave immediately and have Siki fight Wills October 16."

The extra 100,000 francs above the million mark, Hellere explained, were for the expenses of the trip to the United States and for training expenditures.

Siki was accorded a tremendous ovation in the sporting centre of Paris this evening when he arrived

by automobile at the office of Echo des Sports, one of the foremost French sporting papers. There were such crowds in the streets that traffic was stopped for more than an hour. The fighter modestly acknowledged the ovation.

"I am through with abstinent from now on," Siki said to the Associated Press. "I am a champion now and I must behave like a champion." He refused to partake of a glass of champagne which was offered him during a toast to his victory.

Carpentier in the Dark
Meanwhile Georges Carpentier is lying ill in the badly battered at his home. He is not yet aware that he lost his laurels to the man from Senegal. He is still under the impression that the negro was disqualified.

This morning Georges asked to see the newspapers. Those at the bedside, however, told him the doctor's instructions were that he must have absolute rest and that he must not read owing to the condition of his damaged eyes. He has not been told that the judges reversed the decision of the referee awarding him the bout on a foul, and still believes himself the light-heavyweight champion of the world.

He regret is expressed on all sides at the downfall of Carpentier, but no attempt is made by the sporting newspapers to hide their satisfaction over the discomfiture of "Pancho" Desamps, Carpentier's manager.

"I am not retiring from the ring. I shall resume training as soon as I have recovered, and if Battling Siki, as I hope he will, decide to meet me again, you can be sure the bout will not go six rounds."

Thus The Journal this morning quotes Georges Carpentier, the de-throned world light-heavyweight champion pugilist, as having said yesterday.

"I made a mistake," Carpentier continued. "But I learned by lesson. One is never too old to learn, and you see it has done me good. Please deny the statement that I am going on the stage. I am a boxer and I mean to remain one as long as I have the strength to put up my fists."

NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Battling Siki has been offered terms for a contest either with Harry Wills, negro heavyweight, or Harry Greb, Pittsburgh American light-heavyweight titleholder, Thomas F. O'Rourke, matchmaker of the Republic Athletic Club, said tonight in confirming Associated Press dispatches of a proposition made to the conqueror of Georges Carpentier.

Johnson Will Challenge
NEW YORK, Sept. 25.—Jack Johnson, one-time heavyweight champion of the world, today told that section of the world that happened to be gathered in New York courthouse

that he was sending a challenge to Siki, the Senegalese conqueror of Georges Carpentier.

Summoned to court over a debt of \$3,500 he has owed Barney Gerard, theatrical producer, for seven years, Johnson was asked by Joe Levine, Gerard's counsel, why he did not pay \$1,000 on account.

"You fellows ought to wait until I tackle that man Siki," he said. "He looks like the man I want to fight, and when I get through I'll have enough money to pay you."

Then he announced he was sending a challenge tonight.

NOVAK LEADING IN YAKIMA GOLF

**Black, of Colwood, Well Up
With Score of One Hundred
and Forty-Seven in Wash-
ington State Tournament**

YAKIMA, Wash., Sept. 25.—Joe Novak, Spokane Country Club professional, finished four strokes ahead of Al Espinosa, of the Inglewood Golf Club, Seattle, and Neil Christian, of the Meadows Park club, Tacoma, nearest competitors in a field of the Northwest's leading golfers, in the opening day's play today of the State open championship at the Yakima Country Club.

Novak was deadly with his iron shots and is expected to lead his four-strokes lead and win the open championship of the State in the final play tomorrow. Espinosa, Ben Stein, Christian and other contenders found the Yakima course fast and tricky, and turned in cards which not wholly indicate their ability, as a result.

Sweetening heat was also accountable for the lack of low scores. Willie Black, brother of John Black, widely known California golfer, a short Scotsman, showed during the day's play that he will lay 28, not reckoned with during the remaining rounds. W. Black, Victoria, finished with a score of 78, 69—147; while W. Gravin, Victoria, had 79, 83—162.

COWICHAN GOLF
Results of Club's Mixed Foursome Competition—Matches for Perpetual Challenge Button

DUNCAN, Sept. 25.—Mr. and Mrs. Share won the mixed foursome competition that was played off this week-end at the Cowichan Golf club, the following taking part in the match: Mr. and Mrs. Share, handicap 28, net 83; Mr. H. F. Prevost and Mrs. Boyd Wallis, handicap 28, net 85; Mr. C. W. and Mrs. E. A. Peterson, handicap 27, net 86; Mr. A. H. Peterson and Miss K. Robertson, handicap 28, net 88; Mr. W. L. B. Young and Mrs. J. S. Robinson, handicap 28, net 90; Mr. C. W. and Mrs. E. A. Peterson, handicap 27, net 92; Mr. C. W. and Mrs. E. A. Peterson, handicap 27, net 93; Mr. J. S. Robinson and Mrs. Lipscombe, handicap 29, net 104; Mr. W. B. Reed and Mrs. Violet Stillwell, handicap 29, net 104; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Dickie, handicap 36, net 105; Mr. W. B. Harper and Mrs. Greer, handicap 31, net 105; Mr. and Mrs. Harvey, no score.

Mr. H. F. Prevost still holds the perpetual challenge button for the local golf club. On Monday last he defended it against Mr. A. H. Peterson, winning by 1 up, and on Thursday he again defended it against W. B. Powell, winning by 7 up and 5 to play, and also defended it against Mr. Share, winning by 5 and 4. For next week-end a tombstone competition has been arranged, the gentlemen playing 18 holes and the ladies 9 holes.

UP-ISLAND SOCCER
LADYSMITH, Sept. 25.—Before a vast crowd, the best exhibition of football since this season was staged here yesterday by the Ladysmith and Nanaimo first division teams, neither of them being able to better the score of one goal each. The teams were very evenly matched, and the excitement of the hundreds of spectators knew no bounds as the ball drew near to either goal. After much dispute, the Nanaimo side was awarded a penalty kick, which easily found its way to the Ladysmith net.

A Strung, Ladysmith left wing, baffled Rutledge, the Nanaimo goalie, with a wonderfully well-placed shot, which brought the score to a tie. Davies made several brilliant rushes toward the Nanaimo goal, the crowd being greatly amused at the little fellow outwitting and outrunning the big backs who opposed him.

The playing of both teams was good, and it would be a difficult matter for even an expert footballer to tell which had the best lineup. Joe Lapansky starred as fullback, always being at the right place at the right time. At various moments ill-feeling was displayed, but the contestants in the mixups were separated before any damage was done. A few slight accidents occurred, but the injured ones were able to get back into the game before its conclusion.

**CUMBERLAND BEATS
MERCHANTS UNITED
BY THREE TO TWO**

NANAIMO, Sept. 25.—The Merchants United of Nanaimo sprang a surprise on all football fans on Sunday when they held Cumberland's aggregation to a 2-2 score. As a matter of fact the Merchants United fully deserved to win, for they had at least three-fourths of the play and only the hardest kind of luck prevented them from walking away with the points.

Nanaimo Celtics and South Wellington met on Sunday in a second division fixture at South Wellington, the game resulting in a one-goal draw.

TO EXAMINE REFEREES
Arrangements have been made for Robert Taylor, secretary of the B. C. F. A. to come over from Vancouver this week-end to examine the Victoria football referees.

SOCCER ENTRIES CLOSE TONIGHT

**Football Board Will Meet for
Business—Entrance and
Affiliation Fees Must Be
Paid**

Tonight is positively the latest date for sending in entries for the senior, intermediate and junior soccer leagues. A meeting of the V.D.F.A. is to be held in the Veterans of France headquarters at 8 o'clock, when the newly-elected board governing soccer in the city will be in attendance to receive entries and make the necessary arrangements for starting the season. Delegates of the various clubs are asked to attend to complete entries and all must be in tonight together with the necessary entry fees and affiliation fees to the B.C.F.A. Registration forms for the individual players may be obtained at the meeting.

**WINNERS OF SPECIAL
PRIZES FOR RABBITS
AT PROVINCIAL FAIR**

Winners of special prizes at the Victoria and District Rabbit Breeder's show at the Fall Fair were as follows:

Silver cup, donated by Harry Pooley, M. P., for the largest display by one breeder—W. J. Lynn.

Cash, \$5, by Dr. Keown, V.S., to exhibitor winning most points—W. J. Lynn.

Silver medal, Mrs. J. G. French, for the largest entry outside of Vancouver Island.

Goods, \$2.50, Brackman & Ker, for heaviest local rabbit in the show—H. Spedding.

Goods, \$2.50, Hudson's Bay Co., for best fur-bearing Grey or Steel Flemish—Highland Rabbitry, Vancouver.

Goods, \$2.50, Hudson's Bay Co., for best fur-bearing Black Siberian—R. C. Baker.

Goods, \$2.50, Hudson's Bay Co., for best fur-bearing Angora—Mrs. M. E. McVicker.

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One year's subscription Victoria Daily Times, for best Belgian hare—F. M. Bradbury.

Shipping box, Lemon & Gonnason, for best Belgian hare, senior buck—F. M. Bradbury.

Back of shorts, Victoria Feed Co., for best Giant Belgian, senior doe—A. J. Cullen.

Leg of mutton holder, W. N. Lantry, for best Belgian Giant senior buck—A. J. Cullen.

Shipping box, Lemon & Gonnason, for best Flemish Giant senior grey doe—Harry Spedding.

Cash, \$2, Bray Stables, for best Flemish Giant senior steel doe—T. S. Clarke.

Rule of straw, Sylvester Feed Co., for best Flemish Giant senior black doe—Highland Rabbitry, Vancouver.

Goods, \$2, Thorne's Shoe Store, for best Flemish Giant senior white doe—A. J. Cullen.

One lb. tea, McKenzie Grocery, for best New Zealand Red senior doe—Mrs. M. E. McVicker.

Goods, \$1.50, Scott & Peden, for best Angora senior doe—Mrs. D. Doran.

One year's subscription Canadian Poultry World, for best Himalayan senior doe—Irving Dinnell.

Special ribbon, H. K. Carter (Judge), for best Belgian senior buck—J. Lynn.

Special ribbon, H. K. Carter (Judge), for best Flemish Giant Grey senior buck—Mrs. M. E. McVicker.

Special ribbon, H. K. Carter (Judge), for best Flemish Giant senior steel buck—H. Spedding.

Special ribbon, H. K. Carter (Judge), for best Flemish Giant senior blue buck—Mrs. M. E. McVicker.

Special ribbon, H. K. Carter (Judge), for best senior Angora buck—Mrs. J. G. French.

Special ribbon, H. K. Carter (Judge), for best senior Himalayan buck—Mrs. M. E. McVicker.

Special ribbon, H. K. Carter (Judge), for best Flemish senior blue buck—Mrs. M. E. McVicker.

One lb. tea, McKenzie Grocery, for best Polish senior buck—J. W. Fairhurst, Vancouver, B.C.

One year's subscription Canadian Poultry World, for best Polish senior doe—Mrs. L. T. Sprague.

Suit, Joseph, L. Herman, for best Dutch senior buck—J. S. Hickford.

Goods, \$1, Victoria Owl Drug Store, for best Dutch senior doe—J. S. Hickford.

Goods, \$1, Stewart Shoe Co., for best senior any other variety—J. S. Hickford.

Rabbit Book, Hibben & Co., for best pair of Black and Tan—J. Hickford.

Goods, \$2.50, Victoria Hat Shop, for best pair of fancy rabbits—J. Hickford.

Sack of oats, Pacific Feed Co., for best utility rabbit—W. J. Lynn.

Poultry World, for best utility rabbit under six months—W. J. Lynn.

Medal, J. Hickford, for best second prize Blue Flemish—Vancouver Rabbitry.

Medal, J. S. Hickford, for best second prize Steel Flemish—H. Spedding.

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ond prize White Flemish—C. J. Fothergill, Vancouver.

Medal, J. S. Hickford, for best second prize Black Siberian—Mrs. M. Boucher.

Medal, J. S. Hickford, for best second prize Giant Belgian—A. J. Cullen.

Chestnut Cup, Mrs. Chestnam, for best three Flemish with N. B. & F. A. registration—H. Spedding.

Payne Cup, most points in Belgium—W. J. Lynn.

Challenge Cup, Scott & Peden—W. J. Lynn.

One year's subscription Daily Colonist, for best Flemish Giant in the show—Highland Rabbitry, Vancouver.

Goods, \$2, A. Coral, for best Flemish steel doe—T. S. Clarke.

Leather bill fold, F. Norris & Sons, for best doe and litter—Highland Rabbitry, Vancouver.

**WEDNESDAY SOCCER
PUT BACK AGAIN**

Only Three Teams Have Entered to
Date—Exhibition Game Arranged This Week

The Wednesday Football League, which was to have started this week, will be delayed at least for another week, according to the decision reached at a meeting of the league held at the Veterans of France clubrooms last night. At the present time only three teams have entered, namely: Garrison, Wellers and Hudson's Bay, and the league officials have decided to extend the date for entries until Friday, September 29. All teams who wish to enter this league must have their entry with their fee attached in the hands of Bdr. S. Thomas, 15 Leland Apartments, not later than this date. A meeting of the league is called for Friday, September 29, at the Veterans of France clubrooms at 8 p.m.

Exhibition Game
The Garrison from Work Point, last year's runners-up in the Wednesday league, and Wellers, the present cup holders, will play an exhibition game at the Royal Athletic Park on Wednesday for the "Billy Muir Fund."

These teams are fairly evenly balanced and a battle between them should be a real scrap. The game is scheduled to start at 3 p.m. with Billie Cull as referee.

**METHODISTS REPORT
YEAR OF PROGRESS**

Proceeds of National Campaign Are
Used in Caring for Retired Ministers, Widows and Children

TORONTO, Sept. 25.—A year of progress will be reported to the Methodist general conference this week on behalf of the superannuation fund of the church, the report showing that the church's investments on behalf of this branch now total \$2,415,000, in comparison with \$900,000, which four years ago constituted the department's total endowment. Much of the increase is the result of the Methodist national campaign, which contributed \$1,426,000, it is declared.

To Increase Allowance
This money, invested principally in government securities, and earning an average interest rate of 6.25 per cent, cares for 426 retired ministers, 435 widows and 102 children. The annuities paid are at present on the basis of \$18 for each year of service, but it is hoped next year to pay upon the basis of \$20 for each year of service, and to correspondingly increase the allowance to widows and children.

The department's budget for the coming year is \$506,000.

The Council some time ago passed a by-law, prohibiting horse racing within Oak Bay, because it felt that sufficient regulation was not possible under present legislation to make certain that the standard of the sport would be kept sufficiently high. The promise was made that amendments, which would give the desired control, would be asked for at the coming session of the Provincial Legislature.

An automobile fire engine was recently christened with champagne at Windsor, Eton, England.



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The Oak Bay Council last night decided to ask Major Spurgin, Brigadier-General R. P. Clark and Mr. W. J. Taylor, well-known citizens interested in horse racing, to meet with it and discuss what amendments to the Municipal Act are desirable in order to improve horse racing conducted within the municipality.

The Council some time ago passed a by-law, prohibiting horse racing within Oak Bay, because it felt that sufficient regulation was not possible under present legislation to make certain that the standard of the sport would be kept sufficiently high. The promise was made that amendments, which would give the desired control, would be asked for at the coming session of the Provincial Legislature.

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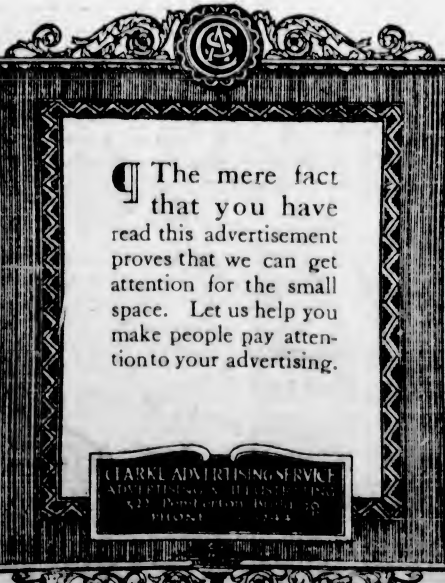
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DOMINION

Rodolph Valentino

with LILA LEE and NITA NALDI

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From novel by the author of "The Four Horsemen," and featuring same star as in that never-to-be-forgotten picture.

Special musical programme will be adapted for "Blood and Sand."

SOUVENIR PHOTOS

of Valentino given free to ladies attending this week.

GERMAN SOCIALISTS

END BITTER BATTLE

BERLIN, Sept. 25.—Six years of embittered political warfare came to an end Sunday when both groups of the German Social Democratic party met in common session at Nuremberg and unanimously ratified the fusion resolution adopted by the Majority Socialists at Augsburg, and by the Independent Socialists of Gerau.

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VALENTINO HAD SUDDEN RISE IN PICTURE WORLD

Rodolph Valentino's salary has been made the subject of much telegraphic comment in the newspapers. The facts seem to be that Valentino played for a long time in pictures without special recognition or remuneration. At the time "The Four Horsemen" was made, with himself as the leading man, his weekly salary was \$750. No one had any idea that this picture would be the making of the actor.

But it was; Valentino became the rage of the screen, a world-famous player, therefore, placed him under a new contract at once to make three pictures at just double his former salary, or \$1,500 a week.

The first picture was "The Sheik." Its success is well known and the picture carried Valentino to still higher heights of triumph. Now the second picture is out, "Blood and Sand." Knowing it had a winning star, Paramount said to have spent \$170,000 on this photoplay, and already it is surpassing "Sheik" records everywhere. It is estimated by producers that the world over, of between \$3,500,000 and \$3,600,000.

These facts led to Valentino's present trip to New York, which unquestionably had to do with an increase in salary to which he felt he was entitled. And the inside information is that although a court action is possible, he will likely obtain a new contract with Paramount by which he will work for that firm for two more years at a weekly salary of \$7,000, which makes the pay of the President of the United States seem like small change.

FRANK CONWAY IS HEAVILY PUNISHED

Frank Conway, 1647 Yale Street, Oak Bay, yesterday morning pleaded guilty in the city police court to a charge of driving a motor car to the common danger and was fined the sum of \$100, with the option of one month's imprisonment in default.

The case resulted from the accident which occurred late on Saturday night on Fort Street, when a woman and child were knocked down by the accused.

Mr. H. G. S. Heisterman, of Barnard, Robertson, Heisterman & Tait, who represented the accused, said that Conway admitted that he had been driving too fast. The accused did not think he was exceeding 35 miles an hour coming down Fort Street, and had swerved towards the sidewalk when he reached Quadra Street in order to avoid another motor car which was crossing Fort Street. The accused was going home on Saturday night about 10:15 o'clock when he suddenly remembered that he had forgotten to take with him a doctor's prescription. Conway turned his car around and came down Fort Street towards town. Another car overtook him, and the accused had put on more speed to keep up with him. Mr. Heisterman said that the offence was the first which Conway had been accused of, and asked that the fine be a nominal one, in view of the heavy damage which his motor car had sustained.

Chief Fry said that the accused had been racing his motor car down Fort Street with another automobile, and, coming to Quadra Street, had turned suddenly in attempting to avoid hitting a motor car which was crossing Fort Street, and went right into a telephone pole and struck a lady and child who were standing on the sidewalk. The woman was badly hurt, while the child was thrown from 15 to 20 feet from the sidewalk. Chief Fry said that people who saw the accident estimated that Conway was driving his car at a speed of 40 miles an hour.

Magistrate Jay remarked that it was a great wonder that the lady and child were not killed by the accident, and considered that there was no justification for the accused going so fast. He then imposed the \$100 penalty.

Upon inquiry last night of Dr. J. H. Moore, who is caring for the two injured in the accident, it was learned that Mrs. Ada Bryson is still confined to St. Joseph's Hospital, where it is expected that she will remain for another week. Her daughter Margaret, who was also hurt about the head, left the hospital yesterday and is progressing favorably. Both are said to be out of danger now.

Old Country Club—The second of the series of "shira" nights will be held this evening, when Kent and Surrey will be the guests of honor. The hon. secretary, Mrs. Harry Polard, will be glad to welcome all those shire kin or their friends at the weekly meeting at Leighton House, 828 Port Street. All members and friends are requested to be in attendance in good time, as several proposals will come up, one being to change the grand aggregate to something useful and economic.

At the Playhouses

"ROBIN HOOD" HAS MANY FRIENDS HERE

Royal Victoria Theatre Crowded at First Performance of American Light Opera Company

Extremely gratifying to the American Light Opera Company must have been the reception they received last night at the Royal Victoria Theatre for their initial performance in this city after an absence of two years. The ever-popular "Robin Hood" was the comic opera chosen by Brandon Brothers and Rex Reynolds as their first vehicle, and the rounds of applause which showed the audience's appreciation of the many beautiful songs throughout the three acts was spontaneous as it was prolonged.

One of the outstanding charms of the opera, apart from the many beautiful voices of the cast, was the freshness and coloring of the costumes, the delightful lighting effects and the general scenic effect.

The American Light Opera Company is fortunate in possessing not only artists with exceptionally fine voices, but also a chorus which works in absolute union, and is composed of singers with very creditable voices, and a splendid sense of rhythm, conducted by Clarence West, of the Robin Hood Orchestra.

"Robin Hood" is too old a favorite to need introduction to a public which prides itself on its musical education, and the popular size of the work were sung last night with such admirable results that it is surprising to find that the company is also producing a new production of "The Four Horsemen," which was hummed by enthusiastic listeners who were evidently thoroughly enjoying the return of their favorite stars.

The comic element of the play was strongly brought out by the Sheriff of Nottingham, played by Edward Andrews, the man with "Massive Brain," who is comical in the finest sense of the word, and caused ripples and gales of laughter to sweep through the crowded house. Many of the witty jests and sallies were most certainly not from the pen of Harry B. Smith, and though they may have lacked the twelfth century touch, they most emphatically appealed to the twentieth century public.

Clever Work

Taking the part of Alan-a-Dale, was Miss Paula Ayres, and not as the programme proclaimed, Lee Bright, who impersonated Friar Tuck in a very clever manner. Miss Paula Ayres scored a tremendous success with her rendering of "O Promise Me," which was persistently encored, and reung twice. Miss Ayres possesses a very clear and carrying voice, and her singing as an actress was also well demonstrated.

Miss Theo Pennington found ample scope in her role of Lady Marian, later Maid Marian, to give many evidences of her shrewd and clever. Miss Pennington has been associated with the Light Opera Company for some time, always taking one of the leading roles, and will be remembered by many in Victoria from her previous appearance here with the same cast.

Miss Esther Snyder appears as Annabel, the flirtatious little daughter of Dame Durlin, which part is exceedingly well played by Miss Irma Tice, whose matrimonial difficulties were amusingly funny, and well acted on the part of the wife, and the reluctant husband.

Harry Pelf makes a splendid Robin Hood, his acting as well as his voice being marked by great ability. George P. Owen is seen as Sir Guy of Gisborne.

Carl Hundesku's magnificent harp-tone is heard in splendid advantage in "Brown October Ale," and also in "The Armorer's Song." Chester Bright plays the part of Will Scarlett, and the chorus of villagers, milk maids, outlaws, singing, fiddlers, archers, peddlers, etc., round out an exceptionally well balanced cast.

The American Light Opera Company comes to this city from a long series of triumphs in Seattle, where they have recently been playing, and an incident which goes to show the popularity they enjoyed in that city may be judged from the fact that on their last day in the Sound city

hundreds were unable to gain admittance to the theatre.

"Robin Hood" will be repeated this evening, and all who wish to attend a first class light opera are advised not to miss this opportunity. Tomorrow the company will play in the "Mikado," at a matinee and evening performance.

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established themselves in roles of similar type. Miss Dalton gave an unforgettable characterization in "The Flame of the Yukon," which will be recalled by most film fans. There is Mitchell Lewis, musing into the scene with his dog team—typical adventures of the white alpacas. He will be remembered for his work in "The Barrier," "The Code of the Yukon" and other Alaskan pictures. Also he appeared not long ago in Betty Compson's Paramount picture, "At the End of the World." David Powell plays the leading male role, that of a young miner. Mr. Powell, so to speak, escaped from "Her Glided Cage" in time to answer "The Siren Call," having just completed the leading male role in the former picture, a Sam Wood production starring Gloria Swanson. Leigh Wyant, who played an important part in William DeMille's "Bought and Paid For," Edward J. Brady, Will R. Walling, Lucien Littlefield and Guy Oliver are also included. The scenario of this production was prepared by the author and Philip Hurn. It is said that the picture is vibrant with drama and real heart appeal.

COLUMBIA Sing Sing prison is not THEATRE such a bad place after all, according to Thomas Meighan, Paramount star, who is featured at the Columbia Theatre again today in his latest starring vehicle, "The City of Silent Men." Mr. Meighan and his company spent more than two weeks at the famous penitentiary, taking scenes for the new picture, and in many of these the warden and the guards, and even some of the prisoners, appear. In his new production, Mr. Meighan plays the role of a country youth who is sent to serve a term in Sing Sing and to secure the utmost realism the scenes were taken in the exact locale of the story. The direction was by Tom Forman and the supporting cast includes Lois Wilson, Kate Bruce, Paul Everton, George MacQuarrie and Guy Oliver.

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Our stock of hair preparations is most complete. We carry all the reliable and tried lines to suit dry or oily scalps. This week we give FREE with each purchase of hair preparations to the value of 50c or over, One Hair Tonic Comb and One Comb Cleaner—FREE.

Dr. Howard's Hair Restorer, restores grey or faded hair and promotes growth,**50c**

\$1.00 Size Tonifam for**50c**

50c Size Tonifam for**25c**

\$1.00 Size Vie de Peau for**50c**

Lambert's Hair Growth, unsurpassed for producing luxuriant hair, \$1.25 and**75c**

Dandruff Remover, kills the dandruff and cleans the scalp**\$1.25**

Palmer's Hair Tonic, a very reliable and clean application, \$1.00 and**65c**

Eau de Quinine, \$1.25, \$1.00, 65c and**50c**

\$1.00 Herpicide for**83c**

50c Herpicide for**42c**

Korean**\$1.25**

Also a variety of Coconut Oil Shampoos and Shampoo Powders, all at special prices.

—Toilet Articles, Main Floor

Dr. Watson's
Tonic Stout

Another shipment has arrived and all orders waiting can now be filled. Sold in packets all ready for making, at**35c**

—Patent Medicine Section, Main Floor

A Heavy Purchase of Sheetings, Sheets
Pillow Cottons and Pillow CasesDirect From the Mills at
"Rock Bottom" Prices

All Sheetings Hemmed Free of Charge—Any Size

Sheetings of Excellent Grade Cotton Yarn	Sheets Hemmed Ready for Use—Superior Quality
72-Inch, big value at, a yard, 65c	72 x 90 Inches, big value, a pair, \$3.25
80-Inch, big value at, a yard, 75c	80 x 90 Inches, big value, a pair, \$3.75
90-Inch, big value at, a yard, 85c	90 x 100 Inches, big value, a pair, \$4.50

Superior Grade Sheetings, made from high-grade selected cotton yarn. An ideal sheeting for hotels and rooming houses, where washing is a great factor:

63-Inch, big value at, a yard, 80c	40-Inch, at, a yard, 85c, 55c and 45c
72-Inch, big value at, a yard, 95c	42-Inch, at, a yard, 90c, 60c and 50c
80-Inch, big value at, a yard, \$1.10	44-Inch, at, a yard, \$1.00, 65c and 55c
90-Inch, big value at, a yard, \$1.25	

Hemstitched Sheets—Best Grades

72 x 90-Inch, hemstitched, at, a pair, \$4.50	We sell hundreds of these. A most dependable quality.
80 x 90-Inch, hemstitched, at, a pair, \$5.00	40 x 33-Inch, good clear hemstitching. At each 45c
72 x 90-Inch, hemstitched, at, a pair, \$5.50	42 x 33, offered at, each 45c
80 x 100-Inch, super grade, at, a pair, \$7.25	44 x 33, big value at, each 50c
90 x 100-Inch, super grade, at, a pair, \$7.75	46 x 33, wonderful value at, each 55c

Hemmed Sheets of a Superior Grade Sheeting, Warranted to Give Years of Hard Wear

63 x 90 Inches, big value, a pair, \$4.00	Horrockses' Famous English Manufactured Pillow Cases Specially Priced
72 x 90 Inches, big value, a pair, \$4.75	40 x 33 Inches, at, each 50c
80 x 90 Inches, big value, a pair, \$5.50	42 x 33 Inches, at, each 55c
90 x 100 Inches, big value, a pair, \$6.85	45 x 33 Inches, at, each 65c

Ask to be shown these excellent values.

—Staple Dept., 1st Floor

Furniture for Your Dining-Room at a Moderate Cost

A Dining-Room Suit of eight pieces, buffet, round extension table, five small and one arm chair with leather seats. The whole in fumed finish. Special at**\$98.50**

Solid Oak Dining Chairs, 5 small and one arm chair with pad seats of real leather. Shown in golden finish. A set for**\$38.50**

Quartered Oak Dining Chairs, strongly braced, and with leather slip seats, golden or fumed finish; five small and one arm chair to a set. At**\$43.50**

Fumed Oak Diners, made with panel back and leather pad seats, an arm chair and five small chairs to a set. Special at**\$37.50**

Solid Oak Round Top Extension Tables, mounted on heavy pedestals, the top extends to 6 ft. and shown in either fumed or golden finish. At, each**\$24.75**

Quartered Oak Extension Tables, on heavy pedestal, and in golden or fumed finish. The tables have an extension of 6 ft. and are special value at**\$42.50**

—Dining Room Furniture, 2nd Floor